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WILLMOTT'S DREAD FEAR OF ACID

HAPPY EVENT
FOR THE ITALIAN
ROYAL FAMILY



Daughter Born To
Heir Apparent
SUCCESSION TO THRONE
NOT AFFECTED

NAPLES SCENE OF
CELEBRATION

Rome, To-day.
The Crown Princess of Italy,
Princess Marie-José, has given
birth to a daughter.

The birth occurred at 11.15 p.m.
at Naples, in the presence of the
Queen of Italy, the Queen-Mother
of Belgium, and Princess Mafalda,
second daughter of their Majesties
the King and Queen of Italy. Both
are doing well.

The baby will be called Maria-
Pia. Owing to the Salic Law, pre-
venting a woman from reigning,
the succession to the Throne is not
affected. The heir, after the
Crown Prince, is still the Duke of
Aosta.

All the ships' sirens in Naples
harbour were hooted in celebra-
tion, but no guns were fired as the
child is not a boy.—Reuter.

Princess Marie-José, who is the
only daughter of the late Albert,
King of the Belgians, and the
Queen Mother of Belgium, was
married to Prince Umberto, heir-
apparent to the Crown of Italy,
on July 8, 1930.

MONTRÉAL SILVER EXCHANGE

Hong Kong Interest
Revealed

THREE SHANGHAI SEATS

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received September 25, 9.11 a.m.)

Montreal, To-day.

M. D. S. McMaster, President of
the exchange's provisional board of
governors, has announced the com-
pletion of seat allotment on the
Silver Exchange which is opening
on October 1.

A trading ring has been estab-
lished on the floor of the Stock Ex-
change. The unit for contracts
will be 10,000 ounces.

The membership is 150, including
20 New York seats, three Shanghai
seats, and one Hong Kong seat.—
United Press, per S. E. Levy and
Company.

MILL-OWNERS TURN ON STRIKERS

Refuse Re-Employment

Washington, To-day.
The bulk of the textile workers
have returned to their jobs, includ-
ing the silk operatives at Paterson.

In many places, however, the
mills are refusing to re-employ
strikers.—United Press, per S. E.
Levy and Company.

SEAMEN'S STRIKE

New York, To-day.—The Na-
tional Labour Board is making a
great effort to avert, on October
8, the strike of seamen operating
between the Atlantic and Gulf
ports.—United Press, per S. E.
Levy and Company.

COAL MINE DISASTER

RELIEF FUND NOW OPENED

FINE RESPONSE

London, To-day.
A list was published yesterday
of the 261 miners entombed in the
Gresford Colliery, North Wales,
pit, which, following Saturday's
disaster, has now been sealed, the
heroic, but unavailing, efforts at
rescue throughout the week-end
having discontinued.

Profound sympathy with the re-
latives of the victims of the dis-
aster is expressing itself in the
ready response from all parts of
the country and all sections of
the community to an appeal for
contributions to the fund for the
relief of the sufferers which has
been opened by the Lord Mayor
of London.

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COLONY INTERPORT CRICKET TEAM

Selection Narrowed
Down To Fourteen

NO CAPTAIN DECIDED

The Hong Kong Interport Cric-
ket eleven to meet Shanghai in
the northern city next month will
be selected from the following 14
players, all of whom have been
invited to make the trip:

*T. E. Pearce (H.K.C.C.).
H. W. Balnes (H.K.C.C.).
*G. S. Dunkley (H.K.C.C.).
C. C. Garthwaite (Army).
H. Owen Hughes (H.K.C.C.).
N. A. E. Mackay (H.K.C.C.).
I. McInnes (H.K.C.C.).
A. H. Madar (L.R.C.).
*A. R. Minu (L.R.C.).
*E. J. R. Mitchell (H.K.C.C.).
T. A. Pearce (H.K.C.C.).
F. D. Pereira (L.R.C.).
G. R. M. Ricketts (H.K.C.C.).
J. T. Williams (Army).
Old Interporters.

(NOTE BY "CRICKETER")

I am agreeably surprised to see
that Norman Mackay, the K.C.C.
stump, has obtained leave to
make the trip, as he will be in-
valuable to the side should any-
thing happen to Dunkley.

His batting abilities should
give him first claim over
Balnes, Mitchell, or Williams
for opening the innings.

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NEW SENSATIONAL EVIDENCE IN MORRO CASTLE ENQUIRY

Wireless Operator's Terrorism

SKIPPER ALWAYS KEPT DOOR LOCKED

DISORGANISATION FLATLY DENIED

New York, To-day.
An allegation that Captain Willmott, skipper of the Morro Castle, who died on board his ship a few hours before the luxury liner was destroyed by fire off the coast of New Jersey in the early hours of September 8, feared that the wireless officer, Alagna, would throw corrosive acid at him was made by Acting-Captain Warms at the Morro Castle enquiry yesterday.

He declared that on the day before his death Captain Willmott told him to watch Alagna, who had two bottles of sulphuric acid. Captain Willmott, he said, kept his cabin door locked. Warms added that the First Mate took the Acid from Alagna.

He flatly denied Alagna's evidence that there was disorganisation on the bridge at the time of the disaster. He said he instructed Alagna to send an S.O.S. at 3.18 a.m. when he realised that the ship was out of control.—Reuter.

CHINA HARD HIT BY RISING SILVER PRICE

SPECIE SHORTAGE IN COASTAL PORTS

INEFFECTIVE EMBARGO

(From Our Own Correspondent)
Canton, Yesterday.

China's foreign trade is hard hit by the increasing value in silver, which means that Chinese goods are more expensive in foreign markets, and that imported goods are cheaper in this country, declared an economic expert in government service, to-day.

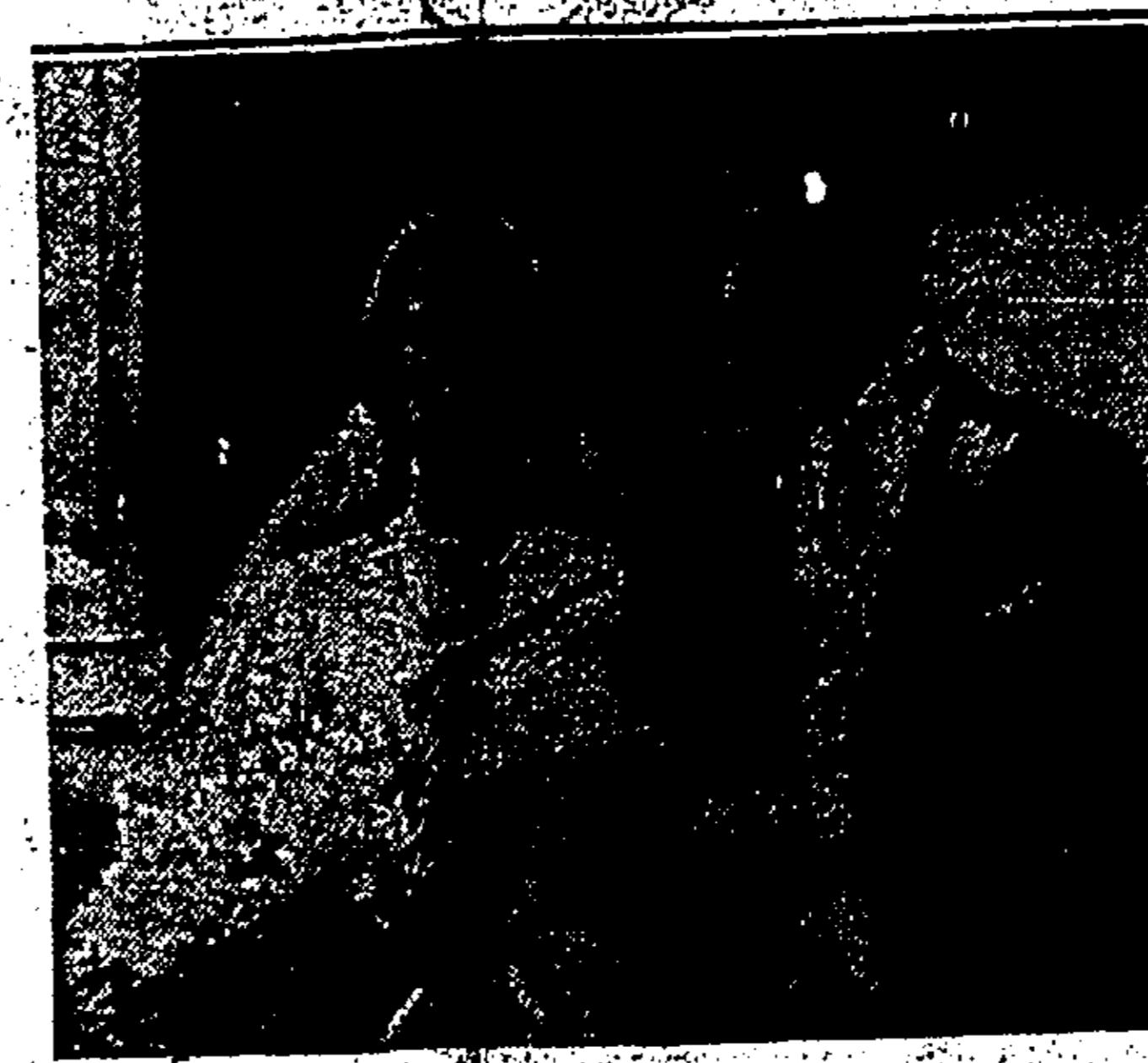
This official blamed the United States for raising the value of silver and upsetting the monetary standards of many countries, particularly China.

"With the increase in the price of silver," he said, "unscrupulous merchants are buying silver coins in Canton, Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, and exporting them. These cities are suffering from a shortage of specie in the money market."

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WEATHER FORECAST

Fair, with moderate north-east winds, was the weather report for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.



Only two of the grandsons of John D. Rockefeller, Sr., reputed to be the world's richest man, now remain unmarried. Lawrence Spelman Rockefeller, third son of Mr. and Mrs. John D., Jr., is now honeymooning with the former Mary French of Woodstock, Vt. Here they are shown after the ceremony.

A REVISED CONSTITUTION FOR FRANCE

BRITISH LINES TO BE FOLLOWED

MORE POWER FOR PRIMER

Paris, To-day.

In a broadcast talk yesterday evening the French Prime Minister, M. Gaston Doumergue, disclosed that he contemplated summoning a National Assembly in order to revise the French constitution and to incorporate certain salient features of the British constitution.

He said that he intended to bring about a real separation of powers between the magistracy and politics, which was the only means of having absolutely impartial justice.

The chief of the Government of France should be given the powers of a Prime Minister. If a majority in the Chamber of Deputies disagrees with the Government, the premier must be able to make an immediate appeal to the people.—Reuter.

GUARDING MARKET TRANSACTIONS

Stock Exchange Control Commission Act

(SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.)

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Washington, To-day.

In its first attempt to guard market transactions, the Stock Exchange Control Commission has successfully enjoined the National Investment Transcript Incorporated from selling certain stocks on the grounds that the transcript artificially produced quotations on the Stock Exchange for the purpose of stimulating sales.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

RUBBER REGULATION AGREEMENT

Siam May Be Offered Export Increase

London, To-day.

The International Rubber Regulation Committee will meet in London to-day to consider the Siamese refusal to ratify the agreement.

According to the Financial News, the Committee is likely to offer Siam an increase in exports from 10,000 tons to 20,000 tons annually.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

CANTON PLANS INTRODUCTION OF NEW TARIFF

EXPECTED TO YIELD \$800,000 MONTHLY

REPRISAL AGAINST NANKING

(From Our Own Correspondent)
Canton, Yesterday.

The strong opposition to establishing Chinese Customs in Hong Kong, as first voiced by the City Chamber of Commerce, is to be repeated by other commercial bodies here.

It is learned that Canton officials are definitely against the shifting of Chinese Customs to Hong Kong. If Nanking succeeds in establishing a Customs station in Hong Kong, the authorities here will ignore it.

The prevention of extensive smuggling is the official justification for creating a Custom House in Hong Kong. The South-west authorities not only deplore the establishment of Chinese Customs in foreign territory, but find fault with the Chinese tariff as proclaimed by (Continued on Page 9)

LOANS INCREASE IN AMERICA

Up \$100,000,000 During
Month Of July

P.W.A. EXPENDITURES HIGH

(SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.)

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received September 22, 9.11 a.m.)

Washington, To-day.

The United States Treasury Secretary, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, has announced that loans through all Government, corporation and credit agencies increased by U.S.\$100,000,000 to a total of U.S.\$3,644,000,000 between June 30 and July 31.

Total assets on July 31 were

U.S.\$3,407,000,000 monthly, a gain of U.S.\$32,000,000.

Liquid assets were U.S.\$4,023,000,000, an increase of U.S.\$695,000,000.

The Secretary of Interior, Mr. Harold L. Ickes, has announced that U.S.\$114,000,000 of Public Works Administration funds was spent on materials in the first year of the programme, creating indirect employment of producing units for 1,100,000 for many months.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

It will be remembered that the complainant alleged that he was injured in the leg by a stone thrown by the defendant.

Mr. Losby said that the case was one of great importance with serious consequences, in that the defendant might even lose his job.

He said that it would appear from the depositions that the Magistrate had difficulty in arriving at his

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London, To-day.

Don Bradman, the Australian wonder batsman, was operated on successfully for acute appendicitis yesterday. He is now going on satisfactorily.—Reuter.

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U.S. OBSERVER'S FATAL ERROR CAUSES STIR

ENDEAVOUR CREW FAIL TO CHEER RAINBOW SOPWITH BITTERLY DISAPPOINTED

Newport, R.I., To-day.

Bitter disappointment and resentment has been caused by the decision of the New York Yacht Club Committee regarding Mr. Tom Sopwith's protest against the Rainbow in the fourth completed race for the America's Cup on Saturday, and yesterday there was a coolness, almost amounting to hostility, between the two crews; at the close of yesterday's race the Endeavour sailed off without giving the victor her usual cheer.

The Endeavour's continued series of defeats—three in a row—has caused a considerable swing in the betting, and odds are now 2 to 1 in favour of the Rainbow retaining the trophy.

"I AM BITTERLY DISAPPOINTED AT MY TREATMENT HERE" SAID SOPWITH AFTER YESTERDAY'S RACE, BUT HE REFUSED TO REMARK ON THE ABRUPT DISPOSAL OF HIS PROTEST.

He said that in yesterday's race he sent a man aloft to clear one of the upper spreader guys, which had chafed and parted while the slowness in the spinnaker filling after the start of the race was "due to a twist in the sail, caused through getting fouled with the headstay."

It is now learned that on Saturday, when Sopwith first considered that his yacht had been fouled, the British challenger asked Havemeyer, the American observer on board the Endeavour, whether 10 minutes before the finish of the race would be early enough to display the protest flag.

HAVEMAYER O.K.'S PROTEST.
"It seems O.K. with me" replied Havemeyer, who never says that he is looking for a rope with which to hang himself.

Tom Sopwith's feelings regarding his treatment can be judged by the fact that he now plans to leave America within a week of the end of the series of races.

The Endeavour will either be towed by his motor yacht, Vila, or return under her own sail, according to the weather prevailing at the time of sailing.—Reuter.

SIXTH RACE TO-DAY

Newport, R. I. To-day.
The sixth race in the America's Cup series, in which Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith's Endeavour, the British challenger has won two and the Vanderbilt Syndicate's Rainbow has won three, will be held to-day.—Reuter.

MAIL SCHEDULES

INWARD MAIIS.

FROM EUROPE Sept.

Haldia (Air Mail ex Marseilles Saigon Service) " 26
Agamemnon " 28

FROM JAPAN Sept.

Emp. of Asia " 26
Nankin " 26
Luban Maru " 27
Pres. Hoover " 27
Tokushima Maru " 28
Pres. Hayes " 28
General Lee " 28
Hakozaki Maru " 28

Oct.

Arabian Maru " 5
Brisbane Maru " 5
Pres. Grant " 5
Rawalpindi " 5

FROM AMERICA & CANADA Sept.

Emp. of Asia " 26
Pres. Hoover " 27
Pres. Hayes " 28

Oct.

Pres. Grant " 5

FROM MANILA Sept.

Pres. McKinley " 28
Nellore " 6

FROM SHANGHAI Sept.

Hector Andre Lebon " 25
Hector " 25
Yushun Emp. of Asia " 25
Pres. Hoover " 25
General Lee " 27
Pres. Hayes " 28
Hakozaki Maru " 28
Ixion " 29

Oct.

Lycaon " 21
Philippines Pres. Grant " 5
Rawalpindi " 5

FROM STRAITS Sept.

Ginyo Maru (Air Mail ex Amsterdam-Bandung Service) " 27
Conte Verde " 29
Haruna Maru " 29

Oct.

Suisang " 21
Bhutan " 21
Santhia " 22

FROM AUSTRALIA Oct.

Nellore "

OUTWARD MAIIS.

FOR EUROPE Sept.

Andre Lebon (Marseilles Air Mail Service) " 25
Closes Reg. 10 a.m. Ord. 10.30 a.m.
Pres. Pierce (via Siberia) " 25
Closes Reg. 3 p.m. Ord. 4.15 p.m.
Hector (via Marseilles) " 26
Closes Reg. 1.45 p.m. Ord. 2.30 p.m.
Pres. McKinley (via Siberia) " 28
Closes Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.
Hakozaki Maru (Amsterdam Air Mail Service) " 28
Closes Reg. 4.30 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.
Haruna Maru (via Siberia) " 29

FOR JAPAN Sept.

Pres. Pierce " 25
Pres. McKinley " 28

Oct.

Chichibu Maru " 3

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA Sept.

Pres. Pierce " 25
Pres. McKinley " 28

Oct.

Chichibu Maru " 3

FOR MANILA Sept.

Empress of Asia " 27
Pres. Hoover " 27

Nankin " 28

Oct.

Tjibadak " 2

FOR SHANGHAI Sept.

Pres. Pierce " 25
Pres. McKinley " 28

Oct.

Chichibu Maru " 3

FOR STRAITS & INDIA Sept.

Hector " 26

Hakozaki Maru " 28

VIA SIBERIA—Letters and post-cards for Europe and South America available.

The Woman's Page



Paris Fashions Turn "Black"

False Hems Are In Favour For Winter

LEATHER BELT FOR DANCING

London.

Women be prepared for a complete black-out this winter.

Black was the chief "colour" for clothes of all types at the Paris dress-shows recently.

But they will not be all unrelieved black. A classical black velvet afternoon dress, high in the neck and short in the sleeves, may expect to be "co-starred" with any of the following:

A jacket of rust-brown tweed, broad belt of brown calf leather, heavily worked; a leopard skin jacket and leopard-topped boots; black kid gloves with black velvet lined gauntlets to the elbows and as wide as muffs; white ermine; lame tunics.

False hems are in favour for winter, which should please the economist who can make her old dress look young again.

These hems are usually of shiny satin on a dull crepe dress, and they appear to have been sewn on quite clumsily, giving a skimpy skirt sudden fulness at the ankles. But the neckline will have to be rejuvenated also.

Take your big leather belt dancing this winter. Belts are allowed the greatest liberties of all.

Imagine a regal red velvet dinner gown girdled by a four-inch wide pigskin belt, padded out in a double ridge all round. Then think of wispy black tulle belted with black patent leather about three inches wide. Also fur on lace.



THREADS

Make an extra-strong solution of soft soap or Lux and water, and in this dip any material from which threads are to be drawn. Dry without rinsing. The threads will never break and are easily pulled out.

MENDING GLOVES

When gloves wear through at the finger-tips turn them inside-out, machine around the tops, tie the cotton-ends and trim the rough parts off carefully. The gloves will look almost new, though with slightly shorter fingers.

SLIPPERY MATERIALS

When working slippery materials (such as silks or satins) on the machine pin a clean towel round the table of the machine; this obviates the "slither."

THE EYE-VEIL

When an eye-veil becomes limp and unsightly renew it by rinsing in a quart of water in which has been dissolved one teaspoon of gum-arabic. Shake lightly and then press between heavy blankets or canton flannel and the veil will be as good as new.

Peninsula Hotel Guests

The following are the guests staying at the Peninsula Hotel:

Mr. N. D. Brown, Mr. Chester Bennett, Capt. & Mrs. W. G. Benn, Mr. R. Bigazzi, Col. S. Boyd, Misses H. & J. Boyd, Mrs. J. M. Bristol, Miss P. W. Brown, Mrs. D. J. Bryte, Mr. B. G. Butler, Mr. T. B. M. Conolly, Mr. W. Callow, Mrs. T. Carr-Hanssey, Mr. & Mrs. E. R. Childe, Mr. & Mrs. K. Chung, Mrs. E. Cogan, Gen. M. A. Cohen, Maj. V. E. Duclos, Mr. W. J. Dymont, Mrs. B. Elder, Mrs. E. R. Fenney, Mrs. J. M. Flynn, Mr. G. E. Frisbie, Mr. I. H. Geare, Mr. L. L. Gilson, Mr. J. Gould, Mrs. J. B. Gragg, Mr. T. M. Gregory, Mr. & Mrs. C. M. Hall, Miss M. P. Hammerly, Mr. V. Hansen, Mr. E. Hausmann, Capt. J. L. Henderson, Mr. E. L. Hosie, Mr. H. A. Howes, Mr. A. J. Jugrensen, Mr. L. Kadoorie, Col. & Mrs. J. L. Lewis, M-M. A. Luigi, Miss M. Manuk, Mr. E. J. McCann, Mr. W. L. McKenzie, Mr. & Mrs. V. M. Morgado, Mrs. F.

New Nursery Fashions

Trend Towards Extreme Simplicity Advocated

MOVEMENT BY BABIES' CLUB

So definite is the trend towards extreme simplicity and a Spartan mode of life in the nurseries of to-day that elaborate fashions in baby clothes and luxuriously furnished rooms for children may soon be found only in the homes of the less well-to-do.

This movement is being led by the doctors of the Babies' Club to which so many mothers in Mayfair and Belgravia are subscribers. It is the children who are members from birth, not the mothers who take their babies down themselves in their cars once a week or once a fortnight to have them weighed and examined in exactly the same routine as the working-class mothers at municipal infant welfare centres.

Simplicity begins with the cot and the baby clothes. The approved model shown to mothers at these clubs is a simple English willow one, resembling the plaited rush Moses basket on a stand, provided with handles so that the cot can be taken off the stand and placed in the garden, or in one of the standard side wire "cages" erected outside nursery windows.

These cots are not permitted any draperies, mothers are asked to place them always near a window, with no screen around them. Cellular blankets or hand-knitted blankets in gay colours of pink, blue and yellow relieve the Spartan atmosphere. Twelve to fourteen hours are spent by the modern baby in outdoor "cages" during summer months. Sun-bathing begins in April.

Although long clothes are banished from the modern baby's layette there can be plenty of picturesque colour in the three garments now deemed all that is necessary for the tiny baby, a hand-knitted vest, trousers and a jumper or coat, also hand-knitted. Binders, headbands, bonnets, petticoats, flannel or otherwise, bootees and matinee jackets find no place in the nursery wardrobe.

Instead there are one-piece suits for daily sun-bathing either hand-knitted or made in a fabric that is a mixture of wool and silk, with cellular cotton sun-hats to protect the back of the neck; nightdresses for the summer of tropical cellular cotton, and for the winter of fine flannel, and knitted shorts to take the place of leggings in very hot weather.

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Public Auctions

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction ON

Wednesday, the 26th Sept., 1934, commencing at 2.30 p.m. at their Sales Room, Duddell Street.

A Quantity of**VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE**

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Auctioneers.
Hong Kong, 21st Sept., 1934.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction ON

FRIDAY, the 28th September, 1934 Commencing at 5.15 p.m. at their Sales Room, 4, Duddell Street.

A VALUABLE COLLECTION OF POSTAGE STAMPS On View from Thursday, the 27th September, 1934 Terms: Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.
Auctioneers.
Hong Kong, 24th Sept., 1934.

BRIDGE NOTES**"Dumb" Partners**
by Ely Culbertson

It is an almost universal complaint among Bridge players that their partners are "dumb" and that they make the great majority of mistakes which make the names they play at the Bridge table.

There may be a measure of truth in this, and one remembers the old Quaker who once, viewing the idiosyncrasies of the world, remarked to his spouse, "I think the whole world is queer except thee and me, and sometimes I think thee art a little queer."

Bridge players in this share the Quaker's viewpoint but I have found an exception in Mr. W. H. S. O'Brien of St. Louis, who submitted the hand below and asked me to comment upon the bidding and the play, remarking that the fact that West made the contract of five hearts doubled in most interesting, particularly in face of the fact that North might be accused of misplaying his King of diamonds on the second trick, but finding an excuse for his partner in that, confronted with a difficult situation in play, he knew that he could cash a trick then but was not so sure of it later.

The hand occurred in a recent rubber game, and East and West were far ahead in the point score:

South, Dealer
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH:-

S.—4 8
H.—3 2
D.—Q 3 2
C.—9 8 7 6 5 4

WEST:-

S.—A 8 5
H.—K Q J 10 9
D.—Q 9 6 5 4
C.—

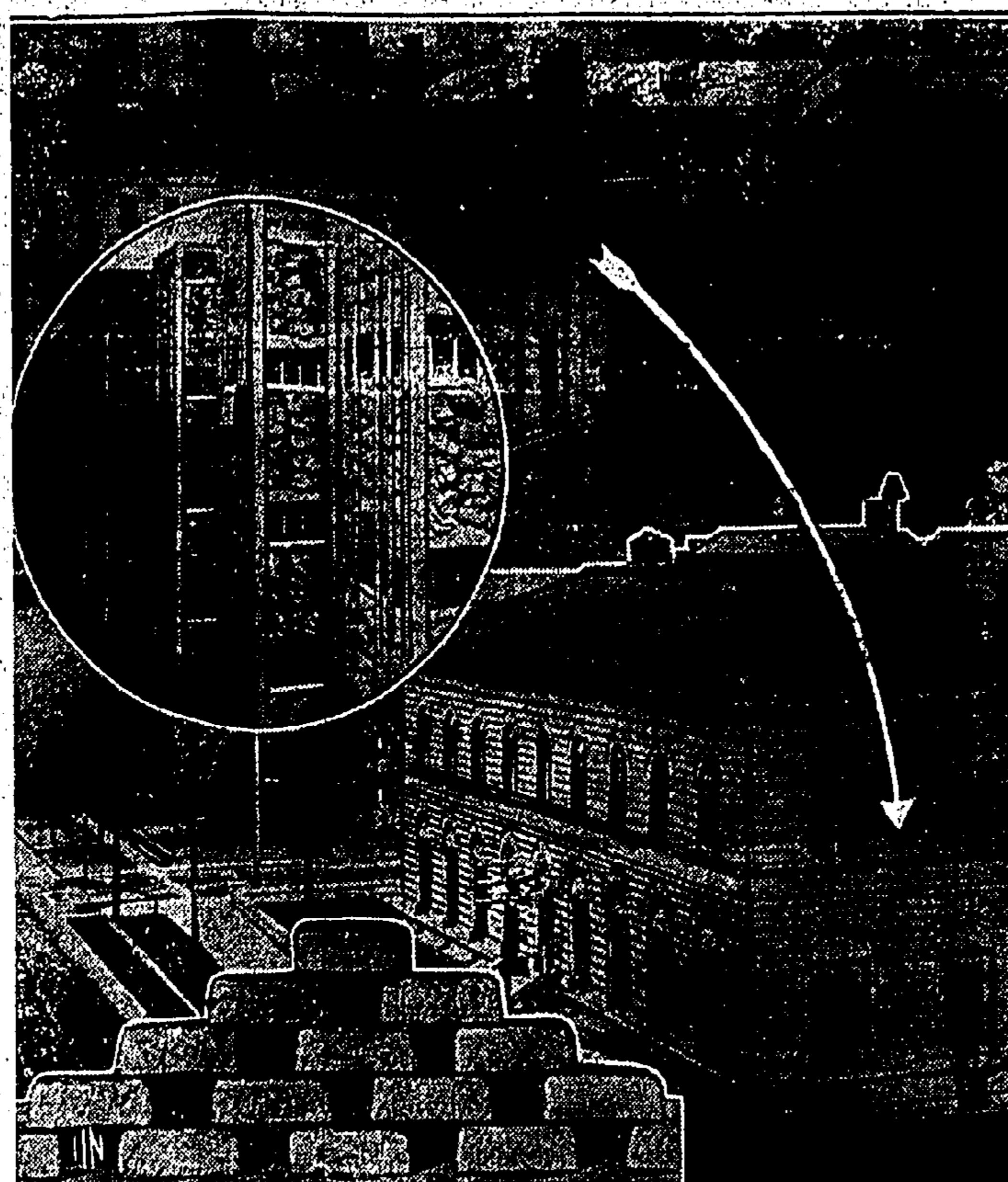
EAST:-

S.—9
H.—8 6 5 4
D.—J 10 8 7
C.—Q 10 8 2

SOUTH:-

S.—K Q J 10 7 6 2
H.—A 7
D.—A
C.—A K J

South West North East
2S 3H Pass Pass
3S 4H Pass Pass
4S Pass Pass 5H
Dbl. Pass Pass Pass
Of course, Mr. O'Brien's Opening bid was entirely sound. West's Overcall of an Opening Forcing bid (Continued at Foot of Next Col.)



All the gold in the San Francisco mint (top), amounting to \$1,500,000,000, is being moved to the mint at Denver (below) as a precautionary measure. The metal, which is stored in bars and bags as shown, is being moved to get it out of an area sometimes visited by earthquakes. Treasury officials explain. They do not apprehension over a possible seizure during an attack by a foreign power or in an uprising.

was drawing rather heavily upon the favours of distribution but, as the cards lay, was entirely safe. The subsequent bid of four hearts over three spades was an invitation to a large penalty, a bid quite of the gambling type. East, who had remained silent throughout, certainly had some justification for bidding five hearts in view of West's forward bidding. South's Double of five hearts rather than a bid of five spades is no doubt correct.

The chances appear very strong for the loss of at least three tricks—namely, one in hearts, one in spades and one in clubs—if he plays the hand. On the other hand, it appears certain that the contract of five hearts must be defeated, and with decisions like this it is better to take the safe road than the unsafe one.

North's Opening lead was the spade 4, which Declarer won with the Ace. When West surveyed the Dummy it appeared certain that the contract must be defeated one trick. There was, however, a remote chance, and this West decided to take. Before drawing trumps West led the Queen of diamonds, applying a little psychology because of North's habit of taking a trick as soon as possible under such circumstances.

In view of the bidding West felt there was an excellent chance that South had a singleton diamond and also, in view of the Opening Forcing bid, that that singleton was the Ace. If he held the doubleton Ace-King, then the set could not be broken.

West's strategy was rewarded. North played the King and South, of course, was forced to win with the Ace. From there on, as Mr. O'Brien states, West had no losing card save the trump Ace.

The question submitted is: Should North have played the King?

While Mr. O'Brien takes the view that the hand was well played from the defensive standpoint, I am forced to say that I cannot agree with him. West's willingness to bid up to five, in view of an Opening Forcing bid of two, suggests strongly the proposition of distributional values with probably a reasonably solid trump suit.

These distributional values cannot exist in the club suit in which North himself holds six cards. It must follow, then, that West has some sort of a fit with the four diamonds disclosed in the Dummy hand.

South must have top-card strength in diamonds and clubs as well as a trick in hearts to have justified an Opening bid of two in a suit without the Ace of spades.

Hence North's diamond King should be as safe as the provincial Church.

South should play low card and let nature take its course.

I am afraid that I cannot agree with my correspondent.

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Amusements
Cinema Notes**"SHE LEARNED ABOUT SAILORS"—KING'S THEATRE**

A fine comedy-romance in which Lew Ayres and Alice Faye are co-starred in Fox Film's release, "She Learned About Sailors," now showing at the King's Theatre.

Clever acting in the many hilarious situations in the film makes it one of the most entertaining pictures of the season in the Colony.

Lew Ayres is persuaded by savage lions up a cliff, tossed like an adagio dancer from the tops of trees, somersaults on the trapeze with apes to catch her just one daringfeat after another.

The story begins with our heroine mated to Tarzan and living it.

Neil Hamilton shows up with Paul Cavanaugh to search for ivory,

and the latter's attempt to do away with Tarzan and win the girl for himself is responsible for reeks of exciting thrills.

"TARZAN AND HIS MATE"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Johnny Weismuller, America's retired swimming champion, and Maureen O'Sullivan, the pretty Irish star, are starred in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new drama of the African jungle, "Tarzan and His Mate," now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

Johnny Weismuller makes an ideal Tarzan, but Maureen O'Sullivan deserves the highest honours.

She is pursued by savage lions up a cliff, tossed like an adagio dancer from the tops of trees, somersaults on the trapeze with apes to catch her just one daringfeat after another.

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and the latter's attempt to do away with Tarzan and win the girl for himself is responsible for reeks of exciting thrills.

"WONDER BAR"—ALEMBICRA THEATRE

Al Jolson, the Jewish lad from New York's East Side, who has gone down in film history as the first talking picture star, rises to new heights in "Wonder Bar," a First National production.

"Wonder Bar," the action of which takes place in an elaborate Paris bar and night club, has plenty of material for first-class film entertainment, plus a cast ideally chosen, a cast that makes the most of every situation.

Into this story of flirtations, wives, philandering husbands, seducing gigolos, beautiful girls, and spectacular scenery is woven drama and romance.

There are several hitting songs certain to be heard in local cabarets and ballrooms for a long time to come.

"Wonder Bar," "Don't Say Good Night," and "Why Do I Dream Those Dreams."

The picture is capably directed by Edgar Selwyn.

"DUCK SOUP"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

The four Marx brothers are starred in Paramount's musical comedy, "Duck Soup," headed in the cast by the vivacious Groucho.

The story concerns Madeleine, who is ill-treated by the knife thrower in a carnival, and who is befriended by Francois (Chevalier).

Minna Gombell and Arthur Pieron are his good friends with John.

Milan, his evil influence. This is

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FM RADIO
TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programmes will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

1-2.10 p.m. (Approx.)—European Programme.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.

Rugby Press News, etc.

1.40 p.m. (Approx.)—A Relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.

Rotarian R.D. Walker, M.C., A.E.C.S., D.I.C., M.Inst., C.E., on "The Lighter side of Railway Operation".

2.10 p.m. (Approx.)—Close Down.

Four Studio Items To-night.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-10.45 p.m.—Close Down.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock & Commodity Quotations.

7.08-7.30 p.m.—Orchestral Selections from Operas.

7.08-7.30 p.m.—Orchestral Selections from Operas, Cavalier Rusticana (Masagni).

Marek Weber & His Orch.

Manon—Fantasy (Massenet).

Marek Weber & His Orchestra.

Samson and Delilah (Saint-Saëns).

De Groot & His Orchestra.

7.30-8 p.m.—From the Studio.

Chamber Music.

Mrs. Nuria Kanis—Pianoforte.

Mr. Conrado de la Cruz—Violin.

Mr. Pedro Antonio—Viola.

Professor F. Gonzalez—Cello.

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Sporting Page

BRITAIN'S GREATEST TENNIS YEAR COMMENCES ON FRENCH SOIL.

EXCLUSIVE FOOTBALL FORECAST

Saturday's Games

The following is the forecast for Saturday's Home Football, giving the winning team in capital letters, (a draw being indicated by no change in type) and the result of the corresponding match last season:

FIRST DIVISION
 ARSENAL (1) v Birmingham (1)
 A. VILLA (-) v Preston (-)
 BLACKBURN (4) v Stoke (1)
 CHELSEA (-) v Grimsby (-)
 DERBY (4) v Tottenham (3)
 Leeds (1) v Huddersfield (1)
 LEICESTER (0) v Sunderland (0)
 LIVERPOOL (1) v W. Bromwich (1)
 MIDDLESBROUGH (2) v Manchester C. (1)
 PORTSMOUTH (0) v WED'DAY (2)
 EVERTON (0)

SECOND DIVISION
 BARNESLEY (-) v Oldham (-)
 Blackpool (1) v Bradford (1)
 BRADFORD C. (2) v Southampton (2)
 Bury (3) v Fulham (3)
 Hull C. (0) v BRENTFORD (1)
 MANCHESTER U. (1) v Swans (1)
 NEWCASTLE (-) v Norwich (-)
 NOTTS C. (1) v NOTTS F. (0)
 PORT VALE (0) v BURNLEY (2)
 SHEFFIELD U. (-) v BOLTON (-)
 W. HAM (5) v Plymouth (1)

THIRD DIVISION (South)
 ALDERSHOT (1) v CARDIFF (3)
 BOURNEMOUTH (4) v Northampton (0)
 BRISTOL C. (0) v COVENTRY (0)
 CHARLTON (-) v MILLWALL (-)
 CRYSTAL P. (1) v BRISTOL R. (2)
 EXETER (0) v CLAPTON O. (3)
 NEWPORT (3) v GILLINGHAM (1)
 QNS P.R. (4) v SOUTHEND (0)
 SWINDON (1) v BRIGHTON (1)
 TORQUAY (0) v LUTON (1)
 WATFORD (2) v READING (0)

THIRD DIVISION (North)
 BARROW (6) v MANCHESTER (3)
 CARLISLE (0) v CHESTERFIELD (1)
 CHESTER (1) v WREXHAM (2)
 CREWE (4) v ACCRINGTON (2)
 DONCASTER (3) v YORK (1)
 HARTLEPOOL (6) v DARLINGTON (2)
 LINCOLN (-) v ROTHERHAM (-)
 ROCHDALE (3) v WALLS (3)
 SOUTHPORT (4) v N. BRIGHTON (0)
 STOCKPORT (1) v GATESHEAD (0)
 TRANMERE (3) v HALIFAX (2)

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

ABERDEEN (4) v AIRDRIE (0)
 ALBION (-) v CELTIC (-)
 CLYDE (3) v DUNDEE (0)
 HAMILTON (1) v ST. MIRREN (2)
 HEARTS (1) v AYR (1)
 KILMARNOCK (2) v Partick (2)
 QNS PARK (-) v Dunfermline (-)
 QNS OS (2) v Falkirk (1)
 RANGERS (6) v Hibernian (0)
 ST. JOHNSTONE (1) v MOTHERWELL (2)



SCOTTISH FOOTBALL UPSET

Aberdeen Lose At Home To Kilmarnock

London, To-day. Visiting Aberdeen, Kilmarnock caused an upset in the Scottish Football League yesterday by winning by 3 goals to 1. This is Aberdeen's third defeat this season in nine matches, while Kilmarnock have lost six of their ten encounters.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE

	Rangers	P. W.	L. D.	F. A. P.
Clyde	9	7	1	24
St. Johnstone	9	6	0	312
Motherwell	9	6	1	15
Dundee	9	5	1	317
Hearts	9	5	2	214
Hamilton	9	4	2	18
Airdrie	9	4	4	15
Celtic	9	3	3	15
Queen's Park	9	3	4	213
Hibernian	9	3	4	20
Queen O'South	9	3	2	8
Kilmarnock	10	4	0	22
Albion	9	3	5	13
Ayr	9	3	5	17
Partick	9	3	5	17
St. Mirren	9	3	5	16
Falkirk	9	1	1	8
Dunfermline	9	0	0	7

McLARNIN REGAINS WORLD TITLE DISPUTED DECISION BEFORE 30,000 CARNERA-BAER DUEL RECALLED

NEW YORK, SEPTEMBER 17. IN ONE OF THE MOST SAVAGE FIGHTS IN THE HISTORY OF WELTERWEIGHT BOXING, JIMMY McLARNIN, HARD-HITTING VANCOUVER IRISHMAN TO-NIGHT REGAINED HIS 145-POUND TITLE ON A DISPUTED 15-ROUND DECISION, WHICH HE GAINED OVER BARNEY ROSS, CHICAGO'S JEWISH LAD. The fight was rivaled in ferocity only by the recent Baer-Carnera slaughter. Thirty thousand roared their approval of the contest throughout as the lead swerved from one boy to the other with the judges disagreeing at the end. Referee Art Donovan, however, raised the wild-eyed Irishman's hand as the victor. The "United Press" and 22 of the nation's foremost sports writers gave Ross an advantage, seven others upholding the fairness of the decision.

McLARNIN MAY RETIRE

Plans To Marry And Finish Fighting

RESTING ON HIS LAURELS

New York, September 17. Rumour of Jimmy McLarnin's marriage and subsequent retirement from the ring were circulating here to-day as the Irish world's welterweight champion revealed that he intended to sail for Ireland, within the next ten days, for a visit.

The hard-hitting Vancouver Irishman, however, told the United Press he wanted at least two more years of prize-fighting.

Close friends believe he plans to marry and retire as an undefeated champion in the near future.

McLarnin has been in the business for the past ten years although to-day he is but 28 years of age. He was born in Ireland. Despite his many bouts since his professional career began, he has been knocked out but once, by Ray Miller in 1928.

One of his most notable knockout victories was scored over Benny Leonard in 1932 when the retired undefeated world's lightweight champion attempted a comeback.

The Irishman first won his 145-pound crown on March 29, 1933,

when he knocked out Young Corbett in one round. He lost the title in May, 1934, to Ross and regained it last night.—United Press.

K.I.T.C. ELECTION OF OFFICIALS

Decide To Enter Mamak Tournament

It was decided at the annual general meeting of the Kowloon Indiana Tennis Club on Sunday that the club's hockey team would re-enter the Mamak Hockey Tournament, in spite of the shortage of players.

Mr. Mahan Singh presided and reviewed a very successful year.

The grounds, he stated, had been maintained in good condition throughout the year, but the club's tennis team were obliged to drop out of the Tennis League

as their players could not obtain leave for the week-day matches.

The officers and new committee elected for the coming year were:

President, Mr. Mahan Singh, Vice-Presidents, Messrs. M. A. Khan and Kehar Singh, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Ferid Ali.

General Committee, Messrs. S. Singh, Ahmed Khan, Jahan Dad, Farid Khan and A. Ranjan.

Hockey Representative, Mr. Jahan Dad.

Gounds Committee, Messrs. S. Singh, S. Singh and Farid Khan.

It is doubtful if more than 10 per

The United Press gave Ross a slight lead in 10 rounds, McLarnin in 4 and considered two even.

Blood flowed freely and often. Weighing 145-1/4 pounds to Barney's 140-1/4, Jimmy, at the end of the bout, had one eye completely closed and was bleeding profusely from both nose and mouth.

The fiercely-plunging Erin Islander took the referee's eye with a furious slugging rally in both the 14th and 16th rounds, after taking a beating in the early stages.

Title Changes Hands

McLarnin thus regained the title which he lost to the Chicagoan only four months ago, in the same arena, while Ross became the tenth consecutive welterweight champion to lose his title in his first title defence.

The Irishman survived punishment which he took from the hands of the Jew in the opening rounds to stage frenzied fourteenth and fifteenth round flurries.

The Chicagoan's willingness to exchange punches with the dynamic McLarnin elicited no little admiration. McLarnin's explosive righthand punch has long been the envy of every welterweight in the game.

The fight was similar in a great many respects to their first meeting last May, wherein Ross earned a disputed decision with the judges disagreeing, the referee throwing the balance in his favour.

Similar Fight

The scene was the same, the crowd practically the same. Only the officials, announced just before fight time, were different. Art Donovan, third man in the recent Carnera-Baer heavyweight championship bout was selected as arbiter.

Although smaller than expected, 30,000 the crowd was an enthusiastic one. Observers estimated that close to \$1,000,000 changed hands because of Manhattan's large Irish and Jewish populations.

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After tying the record of 16 consecutive victories, Lynwood "Schoolboy" Rowe, Detroit's pitching ace, gunned unsuccessfully for a new American League record of 17 consecutive victories. Here the big Tiger hurler is shown in the clubhouse, holding seven regulation American League baseballs in his huge right hand.

Disheartened Skipper Well And Truly Beaten

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to-day, but the Rainbow's partisans have the utmost confidence.—Reuter.

Newport, R. I. Earlier. Pained and bewildered by the ruling of the New York Yacht Club Committee that his protest could not be considered because of delay in flying his protest flag, Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith almost refused to race to-day.

It was only after friends had persuaded him that it would be un dignified not to carry on that he consented to race.

Early in the morning there was a moderate sea and an eighteen mile breeze from the north, favouring the Endeavour.

The first leg is 15 miles, leeward, and return windward.

RACE COMMENCES

The race started at 11.40 a.m. and exactly one minute later both yachts crossed the line almost level. The Endeavour had the weather berth, and the course was set south-west by south.

Shortly after the start the wind was blowing at 14 to 15 knots, east-north-east.

At 11.43 a.m., Vanderbilt, having gained a slight lead, broke out the new parachute he had borrowed from the Yachtie.

The Endeavour was slow in setting her spinnaker and lost a lot of ground.

RAINBOW'S LEAD

At 12.10 p.m. after two miles had been covered, the Rainbow led by a quarter of a mile.

The wind had now dropped to eight knots an hour, improving the Rainbow's chances.

At 12.16 p.m. it was observed the Endeavour's parachute was working better, and she gained slightly.

The Rainbow, with only mainsail up, slowed down considerably and the Endeavour crept up.

We then went into the Challenge Round as fit as could be and at the top of our form. It was with such a team that the French first won the cup, and we intended to emulate them.

So much, then, for the team championship. What of the individual honour? In the world of lawn tennis there are four major championships: Wimbledon, France, America and Australia, and Britain can claim three of those titles!

WOMEN'S TITLES

Of the women's major titles, two are held by English players. The French Championships were won in June by Miss Scriven for the second time in succession, and later on the Wimbledon title by Miss Round—the first English

success on the Centre Court for some years. Not a bad year's work. How shall we account for this great revival?

Frankly, the answer seems simple to me, and it dates from the end of July, 1933.

The great transformation in our lawn tennis fortunes took place when we managed to win the Davis Cup from the French.

A new wave of enthusiasm for the game was started by our arrival. National competition is the semi-climax of a swimmer's career.

To reach either goal, a champion must have the drive to work and work hard, and the will to win.

CRITICS CONFOUNDED BY DAVIS CUP WINS TEAM SECRET KEY TO SUCCESS

WIGHTMAN CUP ONLY FAILURE

(By Fred Perry.)

London, August 19. NO matter what happens between now and the end of December, 1934 will undoubtedly go down in lawn tennis history as Britain's greatest year.

Some people, including close students of form, may, perhaps, be inclined to challenge this statement. But let these critics look at the imposing list of titles won by British players since the year opened. If we go back a little further and count the year as from July to July then Britain's record reads even better still.

Britain's national team successfully challenged France for the Davis Cup in July, 1933. Although hailed with immense enthusiasm throughout the world, the feat was regarded in some quarters as somewhat in the nature of a fluke. There were those who said that Britain only won because such-and-such a thing happened, and that we could not hold the cup on the faster surface of grass.

As things turned out we not only gave a good account of ourselves when the first challenge for the cup came, but managed to retain the trophy by the large margin of four events to one. And this against the Americans, the very people who were said to be unbeatable on the Centre Court!

This win has definitely placed British tennis on top of the world, and we can now regard ourselves as the undisputed champion nation—with flukes! When we won the cup last year our captain and his team said they could hold it against all comers. We have fulfilled our promise, and are satisfied.

Every well-known club in England wired the team its congratulations, and there were many much appreciated telegrams from little known clubs.

It was this great interest of the clubs which has led, I think, to the British tennis revival.

Every local player, rabbit, or otherwise, was able to go about holding his head high and saying to himself, "Well, now that Great Britain holds the Davis Cup I can walk around with my racket and feel proud."

FAR-REACHING RESULTS The tournament players, too, seemed to receive an impetus as the result of that important weekend in Paris. Gone was the feeling of awe in which they had previously held the foreign experts. And they, too, set about the task of defeating overseas players with real gusto.

Touring teams were affected likewise. We all felt that we were at last something approaching big shots in the game, and could go on the courts with confidence, knowing that our opponents would be more afraid of us than we were of them.

It was this confidence which enabled us to pull out that little extra, which means that margin between defeat and victory.

Yes, there can be no doubt about it. The victory our team achieved on that sanded court at Auteuil had results which even the most far-seeing person could never have visualised. We can only hope that the inspiration will continue.

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THREE CAMBRIDGE BLUES AND ONE LEANDER MAN

Ceylon, September 15. This morning on board the Ormonde I met a distinguished crew of rowing men representing the famous London Rowing Club, writes "Quidder" in the "Ceylon Observer." They are on their way to Melbourne to take part in the Centenary Regatta on the Yarra. The team representing the London Rowing Club is as follows: with their approximate rowing weights:—

Turner (Stroke)	11.2
No. 7 Bill Sambell	12.7
No. 6 F. G. Howitt	13.0
No. 5, D. J. Wilson	13.0
No. 4, P. N. Carmichael	13.2
No. 3, Drake	12.7
No. 2, Terence Boyland	11.4
Bow Forches	11.6
or Palmer	11.6
Dermot Gogarty is accompanying the team as Coach.	

I had a chat with several members of the team, who told me that the voyage had been enjoyable so far, but for the excessive heat coming through the Red Sea. They had done a fair amount of training on board, skipping, running and indulging in "rowing action."

One of their crew, Sambell, is an old Melbourne resident. He is an old Cambridge Blue like Carmichael who rowed in 1929 and 1930 and D. J. Wilson rowed in the Light Blues' boat this year.

E. G. Howitt, the captain, won the Grand at Henley three times. He is a very fine oarsman indeed and a "picture" of an athlete. The whole crew are a splendid set of manhood and should give a good account of themselves in Australia.

Five of the crew were former members of the London Rowing Club. This eight have never yet

BANK BUILDERS BEAT WHARF CO.

Logan & Amps Cricket
Victory

A Logan and Amps XI, captained by G. A. Milbank, who showed great promise in the Interport Trial on Saturday, defeated a team from the Hong Kong Wharf and Godown Company Limited by 147 runs in a friendly cricket match at the Central British Association ground on Sunday afternoon.

Scores were as follows:—

Logan and Amps	
Eastman b Eastman	74
Ritchie run-out	58
Excell b Exell	27
Milbank l.b.w. b. Eastman	1
Pierpoint played on Exell	17
Anderson St. Terry b S. K. Wong	0
Whittaker played on, b. S. K. Wong	22
Gardener b Exell	0
Lock not out	0
Extras	203

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Bowling

O. M. R. W.	
Eastman	15 0 74 8
Excell	13 1 58 8
Groves	8 0 27 1
S. C. Wong	2 0 17 0
Rayney	5 0 22 0
S. K. Wong	18 0 5 2
H.K. Wharf and Godown Co.	
Eastman c Aziz b Anderson	
S. C. Wong b Milbank	
Anderson c Aziz b Anderson	
S. K. Wong b Milbank	
Spiders b Milbank	
Rainey c Aziz b Anderson	
Excell c Anderson, Adz	
Terry b Anderson	
Fergusson b Aziz	
Dodwell b Aziz	
Castle not out	
Extras	

Bowling

wickets	
Milbank	3
Anderson	4
Aziz	3

LOCAL YACHTING SEASON

Programme For Coming Months.

A varied programme of sailing races has been drawn up by the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club for the coming season.

Races for Menagerie and Separata "A" Class boats will commence on Saturday, and there will be a race every following Saturday until the end of December.

The Members v. Subscribers Race will be sailed on Sunday, October 28, the losers to pay for tiffin on that day. The Opening Cruiser has been scheduled for November 10, the Navy v. Club race on December 2, and the Naval race on December 9.

A number of Ladies' Races have been arranged.

China Mail Sports Diary

TO-DAY
Hockey—St. Andrew's v. Y.M.C.A.
5.15 p.m., King's Park.

TO-MORROW

Aquatics—Hong Kong Area meeting (Y.M.C.A., Bath)

Meetings—Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association Council, 5.15 p.m. (S.C.M.P.)

THURSDAY, Sept. 27

Racing—Entries close for Eighth Extra Race Meeting, noon.

FRIDAY, Sept. 28

Aquatics—Hong Kong Area meeting (Y.M.C.A., Bath)

Meetings—Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club (Lane Crawford's Restaurant, 5.30 p.m.)

SATURDAY, Sept. 29

Football—First Division—Lincolns v. South China "B"

(Soocoo-poo ground)

Royal Artillery v. Kowloon (Club ground)

Police v. Chinese Athlete (Kowloon ground)

East Lancashires v. Club de Recreio (Club de Recreio ground)

St. Joseph's v. Club (Caroline)

4.45 p.m.

Second Division—Young Indians v. Navy

Eastern v. Borderers

Universities v. Club

East Lancashires v. Lincolns

Chinese Athletic v. Kowloon

3.15 p.m.

Third Division—R.A.M.C. v. Royal Air Force

Club de Recreio v. Lincolns

Police v. East Lancashires

3.15 p.m.

Railway R.C. v. Borderers

R.A.O.C. v. R.A.S.C.

Radio Sports v. Royal Engineers

4.45 p.m.

Lawn Bowls—Senior Division—

Craigengower "A" v. Police R.C.

Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon C.C.

Club de Recreio v. K.D.R.C.

Taiwo R.C. v. Craigengower "B"

Junior Division—

Police R.C. v. Craigengower C.C.

Kowloon C.C. v. Civil Service C.C.

Yacht Club v. H. K. Electric

Football Club v. Kowloon B.G.C.

Miscellaneous—

Interpol Polo Dinner (Gloucester Building), 8.15 p.m.

Polo—Kong v. Shanghai (Causeway Bay)

BOXING

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McLarnin to-night was fighting after only four months of inactivity whereas, in his initial encounter with Ross he was fighting for the first time in a year—since winning the 145-pound crown from Young Corbett III, as a matter of fact.

Fight Postponed

The fight to-night, a return match granted by Ross, was staged only after having been postponed four times owing to the inclement weather. It was originally scheduled for September 6 then postponed to the 7th and 8th.

With bad weather still prevailing on the eighth—and the Bowl an open air arena—matchmakers postponed the match to the 15th.

Rain again interfered hence the date was transferred to to-night when weather conditions finally cleared up permitting staging of the bout.

Ross's First Win

Ross, in winning the first match, was the first champion ever to hold the lightweight and welterweight championships simultaneously.

In defeating McLarnin in their first bout, wherein both the lads were knocked down in the 9th round for no-count, Ross became the first Jewish lad to meet the Irishman that has not bowed in defeat.

The fight then, as was to

night's, was a magnificent exhibition—at least from the standpoint of the fans who immediately clamoured for a return match because of the closeness of the decision.

The return match was granted and both lads settled down to serious training—McLarnin to regain his crown and Ross to break the jinx that has hung over the last nine champions. The jinx, however, proved too strong for the Chicagoan to overcome.

Observers conceded after to-night's set-to that a return match, the third between the two fighters, would be another "knockout."

Many were of the opinion that McLarnin would willingly grant a return bout to Ross, who has retained the Davis Cup.

It is felt that the jinx that affords him that privilege has

been broken.

May—United Press.

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PROMINENT NEW MEMBER OF SELECTION COMMITTEE

TEAM BUILDING ESSENTIAL

London, September 1. TO-DAY sees the opening of the 1934-35 Rugby football season, which although purely domestic, in that there are no visitors from the Dominions and no Frenchmen, promises to be a very interesting one.

As things stood at the end of last year's programme, there was really very little to choose between all four of the International fifteens, although England, possibly by her consistency, won the International Championship and the Calcutta Cup.

Apart, however, from a bad first match, Wales, especially against Scotland, showed themselves capable of playing really splendid football, and there was mighty little in it between England and Scotland at Twickenham. Ireland's troubles were almost entirely due to a lack of finish in her midfield attacking play.

With an indefatigable pianist playing well-known melodies, old and new, throughout the dinner, the function went with a swing.

Chester M. Tobin proposed the toast of the Colony side, reminiscing on the southern visit of the Foreign Y.M.C.A. side which he took down, and saying that it was a shame to spoil an Interport Dinner with speeches.

D. F. Lopes replied, remarking that Shanghai might have done better if they had devoted more attention to their own side instead of to their visitors.

INTERPORT DINNER IN SHANGHAI

TIENTSIN SWIMMERS TOASTED

FLAGS HANDED-OVER TO WINNERS

Shanghai, September 17.

Held at the Shanghai Rowing Club, the Interport Dinner of the Shanghai Amateur Swimming Association was held last night at the Shanghai Rowing Club, where Noel Hammond, on behalf of the Shanghai team and E. C. Rosa Pereira, for Hong Kong, handed over their flags to the winning Tientsin side,

represented by M. Prodán on behalf of Dr. Oklwein, captain, who had to make an early return to the north.

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Engineering and Building

SHANGHAI'S LATEST APARTMENTS**Imposing Block On Seymour Road****SPANISH TOUCH EMBODIED**

Towering high on Seymour Road near Bubbling Well facing the east stands the palatial and imposing Cosmopolitan Apartment, Shanghai's newest and one of the most up-to-date residential buildings in the city.

Anyone motoring up the semi-circle driveway and taking a casual glance at the structure cannot but fail to see a Spanish touch in the architectural work. Looking at it from the centre this building is grand; it stands like a tall giant with outstretched arms which form the two 4-story wings.

Spanish houses are commonly known to be low and artistic. The Cosmopolitan Apartment is artistic, but far from being low. If it were built in Spain it would probably be called a "skyscraper." But it is distinctly artistic; the roof and eaves are effective; the balconies impressive while the arch-windows give a real southern touch to the whole atmosphere.

Forms A Big "H"

Looking at the apartment from the architect's sketch from the sky the plan of the building is like a big "H". The two wings are linked by enclosed hallways leading into the main lobby in the central unit. A bird's-eye-view of the building "gives away," so to speak, the clever scheme of the eaves. Instead of running up like most of the roofs like the shape of an umbrella, the eaves only cover a very narrow section around the edges providing a wide flat roof on both the wings and in the central building.

This new residential apartment building is the property of the Cosmopolitan Trust Company and was constructed with the object of keeping with the trend of housing accommodations in Shanghai and also with the present cost of living in this time of general business depression.

ART CENTRE BUILT BY STUDENTS**90 Busy On Toronto Project**

Toronto—Toronto's new art centre is being erected by some 90 students of the leisure time activities classes, who studied last winter at the Grange under Mr. Arthur Lismer. The site was donated by the Board of Education, and these students are demonstrating their building abilities. The "shack" is to contain an eight-foot stone fireplace, numerous windows and much cupboard space. The work was sponsored by the central committee and the Workers' Educational Association.

The need for an art centre for leisure time activities has arisen following the interest shown by these classes, which started last February, in sketching, drawing, oils and water colours, clay-modelling, linoleum blocking and wood-carving.

Real talent has been found among these leisure time pupils, the majority of whom are men, and it is probable that samples of their best work will be exhibited at this centre. In the fall the responsibility for these art classes will be assumed by the Workers' Educational Association, and it is hoped that this centre will become a community centre for the district.

LUNG-HAI RAILWAY PROGRESS**Sian To Be Reached By End Of Year**

Peiping. Mr. Chien, Vice-Minister of Railways and concurrently Managing Director of the Lung-Hai Railway recently, declared that work on the Lung-Hai Railway is making rapid headway.

The section between Tungkwan and Weinan has already been completed and it is expected that the line will be extended to Sian by the end of the year. Mr. Chien has left here for Tientsin en route to Hsichow in connection with trials of the railway.—(Chedai Agency).



Prince Ernest von Starhemberg, 35, now Austrian Vice-Chancellor, is an avowed enemy of democracy. He was an aide of Herr Adolf Hitler in the beginning of Nazism in 1923, but he now is a foe of a German and Austrian union and a partisan of Archduke Otto, heir to the Hapsburg throne. The Prince rose to power in Austria as leader of the Heimwehr (Home Guard), which he started by organising 800 retainers in his federal Barony.

Ford Co. To Smelt Own Iron**New Industry For South Of England****BIG BLAST FURNACE**

The Ford Motor Company have just completed the erection of the latest blast furnace in Great Britain at Dagenham. This furnace which has a capacity of 500 tons in 24 hours, is the first blast furnace to be put into operation on the banks of the Thames. It brings a new industry to the South of England for, hitherto, iron smelting has been confined to the North Country, the Midlands and South Wales. It completes the chain of plants which gives the Ford organisation complete control over every stage of the manufacture of the car from the iron ore to the complete vehicle.

Ford engineers have tackled the problem of iron smelting by applying processes new to the industry in Great Britain.

The furnace is located approximately midway between the jetty where the ships carrying the ore, coal and limestone are unloaded and the foundry where the castings are made. Adjacent to it are the coke ovens which supply the high grade coke fuel necessary for the blast furnace. This arrangement reduces the handling time to a minimum.

Electrical Machinery

Two electric unloaders, each capable of dealing with 300 tons per hour, unload the ships into electric transfer cars which carry the coal to the coke ovens and the ore and limestone to the stockyards which have a capacity of 100,000 tons. Here an electric travelling crane lifts the ore and limestone into hoppers from which electric railway trucks carry it to the charging skips that lift it to the top of the blast furnace.

The pressure of the air blast in the furnace has, in the past, made it difficult to utilise ore dust, coke breeze and iron borings from the factory because the light nature of the material allowed it to be blown out of the furnace.

To overcome this the iron borings, ore dust and coke breeze are each loaded into an appropriate hopper. There are five of these, each opening on a rotating table onto which the material is allowed to fall at a regulated speed. A scraper feeder directs the material onto a belt conveyor which deals with the five tables. In this manner the correct proportions of each material are assured. The material is then thoroughly mixed in a rotary mixer and fed onto a wide chain grate and baked into a cake under a burner fired by coke oven gas. This cake, termed sinter, after being cooled, is broken up ready to be taken to the furnace.

This process, which is known as sintering, results in considerable economy in the operation of the blast furnace.

The project has aroused considerable interest in local commercial circles, as the construction of such a bridge is bound to increase the prosperity of the Wuhan cities.—(Chedai Agency).

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY**Bridge Proposed For Yangtsze****WIDE INTEREST AROUSED**

Hankow.

An ambitious project to span the Yangtze between Hankow and Wuchang by an iron bridge is being mooted here, General Chang Chun, Chairman of the Hupeh Provincial Government, recently held a meeting with Mr. Li Hsien-keng, Managing Director of the Canton-Kowloon Railway, and Mr. Lin Hung-hsun, Chief Engineer of the Canton-Hankow Railway, at which they decided to propose to the Central Government the construction of an iron bridge linking Wuchang and Hankow, in order to establish through traffic on the Canton-Hankow Railway after its completion.

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STEEL WORKS TO BE SCRAPPED**Blow For Tyneside Workers**

Hebburn-on-Tyne.

Hope that work would be resumed at Palmer's steel works and blast furnaces at Jarrow, which were taken over recently by Thomas Ward and Co., of Sheffield, was disappointed recently, when it was learned authoritatively that the plant is to be dismantled and scrapped.

Representatives of Thos. Ward and Co. are already on the site and work for a number of unemployed will be found in dismantling, which will occupy two years.

PEAK PARTY CASE CONCLUDES**Judgment Reserved For Saturday****DEFENCE'S SUBMISSION**

Judgment was reserved until 9.30 a.m. on Saturday by Mr. E. W. Hamilton in the summons against Messrs. G. W. Sewell, H. C. Meeker and A. L. Sullivan for making or permitting a noise, calculated to interfere with public tranquillity, at No. 286 the Peak, on August 31, at the conclusion of the hearing at Central Magistracy yesterday.

"I submit that this case has been brought by the Police under pressure, and in the absence of the real complainant, who appears to be sheltering behind the screen of public tranquillity, I suggest this case should be dismissed," said Mr. D. B. Evans, defending solicitor.

After hearing five witnesses for the defence, and the closing speeches of the prosecutor and the defending solicitor, Mr. Hamilton, reserved judgment until 9.30 a.m. on Saturday.

Mr. H. K. Holmes, Crown Solicitor, prosecuted, and Mr. D. B. Evans, of Messrs. Johnson Stokes and Master, was for the defence.

There was a large attendance of Europeans who followed the proceedings with keen interest.

SHAMSHUIPO CRIME RECALLED**Petition For Mercy Is Being Considered**

It is understood that a petition for mercy and reprieve of the death sentence on Keung Chi-pan, convicted of the murder of Keung Wai-lan, 25-year-old woman with whom he had lived at one time, is being considered on behalf of the condemned man by members of the local Protestant clergy, both European and Chinese.

The matter has not advanced beyond the embryonic stage—but a statement by those interested in connection with the proposed petition will probably be forthcoming in the course of a day or two.

TAO FONG SHAN CONSECRATED**Bishop Hall At Shatin Ceremony**

The consecration of the new temple-building on Tao Feng Shan, Shatin, took place last Sunday, at 11 a.m. The Bishop of Hong Kong, the Right Rev. R. O. Hall and the Superintendent of the Tao Feng Shan Christian Institute, Rev. K. L. Reichelt officiated.

The Rev. N. N. Thelle and the Rev. Stig Hammerz, the co-workers of Dr. Reichelt, assisted and the secretary of the Chinese Department, Mr. C. C. Wang, offered the opening prayer. Mr. A. G. Hamre, who is in charge of the building work, was at the organ.

NEW MOTORSHIP ARRIVES**M.V. Hai Lee For China-Siam Service****AT KOWLOON WHARF**

The new motorship Hai Lee arrived here this morning from Norway after making her passage out to the East by way of the Panama Canal. On arrival here she berthed at the Kowloon wharf.

A fast passenger and cargo vessel, she was built to the highest class of Lloyd's Register. She will maintain a regular service from South China ports to Rangoon, via the Straits.

The new ship has a length, on water line, of 350', a breadth of 48'10", a depth to upper deck of 29', and her loading capacity is about 4,300 tons, deadweight. The propelling machinery consists of two single-acting Diesel engines, each having 8 cylinders, developing 5,250 I.P.H. in all, which give her a service speed of 18 knots. The speed obtained on her trial run was 18 knots.

The owners are Messrs. Brungsgaard Kiosterup & Co., Drammen, Norway, and the general agents for the Line in Hong Kong are Messrs. Thoresen and Company.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Sentence of two months' hard labour was imposed on Tang Chung, unemployed, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of 11 pounds of zinc plate, the property of the Taikoo Dockyard yesterday. Mr. C. F. Bird appeared on behalf of the Taikoo Dockyard.

A Dinner Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-morrow. The "Andertonians" Band will be in attendance.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived in Vancouver at 3 p.m. yesterday and will leave for Hong Kong on October 6, arriving here on October 24. She will sail for Manila on the next day.

Sentences of four months' hard labour were imposed on Chan Hung and Leung Man, two unemployed, by Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of a purse containing 40 cents, the property of Ng Kau-sai, in Des Voeux Road, Central yesterday.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board will be held at 4.15 p.m. to-day.

One case of diphtheria and two cases of meningitis were reported in the Colony during the 48 hours ended September 23.

The s.s. Bennevis, from Leith, Middlesbrough, London, and Straits, left Singapore via Manila for this port on Friday and is due to arrive here on Monday next.

The Chung Nan College will hold their third annual aquatic sports meeting at the South China A.A. Pavilion to-morrow, commencing at 12 noon. Mrs. Wong Kwong Tin has kindly consented to distribute the prizes.

For stealing a leather suit-case, containing 12 pieces of Chinese clothing valued at \$20 from No. 114 Yue Kuk Street, Chau Cham, a 34-year-old unemployed, was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Pleading guilty to the charge of stealing a radiator cap from private car No. 3918, belonging to Mr. H. G. Lange, of No. 10 Tak Shing Street, Ha Wing and Ng Kam, two unemployed Chinese youth, were sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

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Bream " 23 24
Canton Fresh Water Fish " 22 24
Codfish " 24 15
Crabs " 60 15
Cuttle Fish " 25 65
Dace " 40 10
Eels, Conger " 64 10
Cucumbers " 6 10
Garlic " 10 4
Ginger, Young Old " 12 7
Horse-radish, S. Thai " 45 8
Indian Corn " 1 1
Lettuce lb. 8 1
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Pomegranate, Large " 12 12
Walnuts, Siam " 12 12
Grapes " 40 1

VEGETABLES, ETC.
Artichokes lb. —
Asparagus, Sprout lb. 5 —
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Beet Root " 12 —
Brussels, Green Red " 8 5

Cabbage, Chinese (Shanghai) " 20 35
Bananas (Bride's) " 4 4
Caranbola " 16 —
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Lemons, Americas each 10 10
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Lobster " 75 62
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Mullet " 35 15
Oysters " 32 12
Pearch " 24 30
Plaice " 44 16
Pomfret, White " 50 30
Pomfret, Black " 30 36
Prawns " 65 10
Roach " 26 36
Salmon " 60 36
Shark " 12 15
Shata " 18 10
Sole " 18 10
Sculpins " 44 35
Swordfish " 40 33
Tuna Fish " 23 12
Tuna Fish " 10 12
Turtles " 75 12
Sole, Fresh water Sole " 88 12

WORLD'S BIGGEST HOTELS**Chicago Colossus Of 3,000 Bedrooms****BRITAIN LEADS EUROPE**

The news that one of London's best-known hotels is to be enlarged and will possess 1,174 bedrooms when the work is completed, has prompted the question, "Which is the world's largest hotel?"

Naturally the mind turns to the towering skyscrapers of the United States, where buildings shake hands with the clouds.

The Stevens, in Chicago, can offer 3,000 bedrooms, each with its own bath—a complete township within four colossal walls. Close runners-up are the Pennsylvania and New Yorker in New York.

Despite this lavish display England is not far behind in providing commodious hotels. London herself possesses the three largest hotels in Europe—the Regent Palace with 1,024 bedrooms, the Cumberland with 1,000, and the Strand Palace with 950.

Several hotels in other parts of the country have round about 500 bedrooms, and many have more than 300. Although it has not the greatest number of bedrooms, the Cumberland is actually the largest in Europe, and has a bath to every room.

Visitors this year find that London, more than ever before, is playing the part of hostess during the holiday month. Half-a-million visitors to the metropolis declare that they have never known so much pains taken to study and gratify their tastes.

High English Standard Among the nations of the world the English, as hotel-keepers hold a high place, despite the periodical complaints of re-

COTTON BOOM IN SHENSI**125 Ginning Machines Arrive**

Sian.

A consignment of 125 cotton ginning machines ordered in Hankow by the Association for the Improvement of Cotton Production in Shensi Province has arrived in Weinan, a station not far from Sian along the Lung-hai Railway. Another consignment of cotton packing machines ordered at Cheng-chow is due shortly.

The Association has sent men to Weinan to distribute the gins among the various cotton co-operative societies in the province. The cotton crop in Shensi is stated to be booming this season and purchasing orders have been sent in by merchants from Shanghai, Hankow, Tientsin, Kialfeng and many other places.—Central News Agency.

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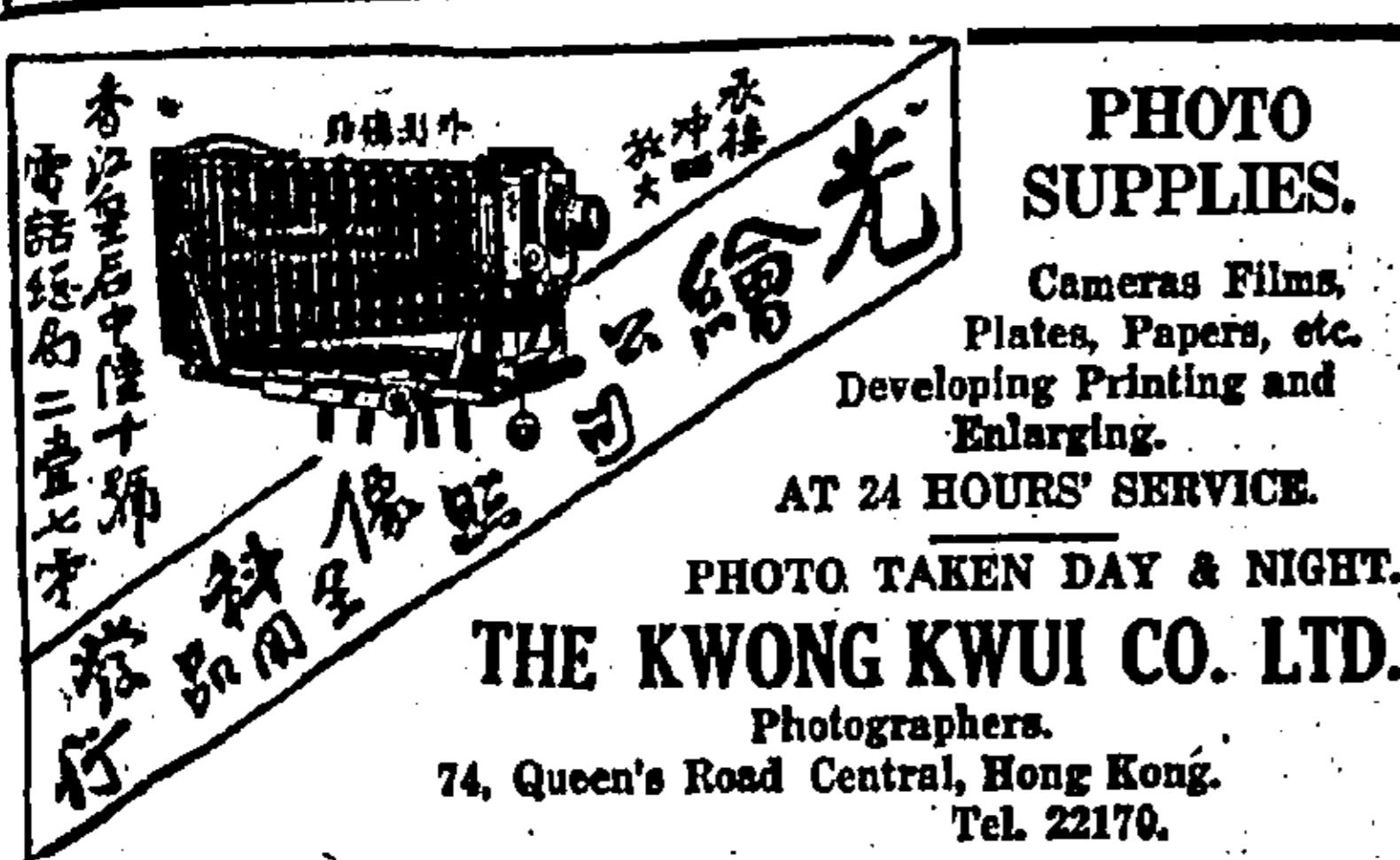


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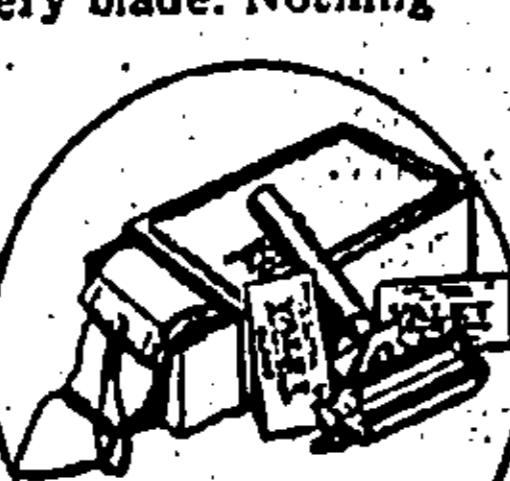
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The China Mail

Hong Kong, Tuesday, Sept. 25, 1934.

The Russian Tune

"We intend to join the dance at Geneva, but we shall dance to our own tune" said M. Litvinoff the other day. What did he mean? It is not a waste of time to ask the question, as it would have been in the days when M. Zinoviev and other amateur reformers of the world were issuing pronouncements on all manner of problems which they had failed to study or at least to understand. In her foreign negotiations Russia is at present represented by a trained and able negotiator with whom other nations can deal on an equality, and who will be sure to take advantage of the opportunities that offer themselves to promote recognition of a point of view that is regarded by many people in other countries as promising a new and better order; something that if realised would indeed set the world dancing to a new tune.

At the beginning of the Disarmament Conference, in which M. Litvinoff has taken a prominent part, each constituent nation was invited to submit proposals in writing. The Soviet proposal was very simple and drastic; that all Powers should immediately disarm by dismissing the whole of their forces. There was a clear logic about the proposition which was unanswerable. But one can hardly suppose that there was any expectation that it would be accepted and honestly acted upon. Either the idea was intended to throw a light of sardonic unreality over the whole proceedings; or else it was to start the discussions on a firm basis of setting out what had to be done, with a view to making necessary concessions afterwards. Probably the latter motive was the real one; for at the time Russia was still increasing its Red Army and improving its munition supply, as it has continued to do since. It is a regrettable fact that the world is not yet ready for the logic of Utopia; but it is the fact that the ordinary citizen everywhere would like to see some big strides made towards a reign of reason, and the general community of civilisation is in a frame of mind to give every theory at least the compliment of a hearing and discussion. What the Council of the League may vote is not really so important as the influence that may be exercised on public opinion by a good and open discussion. And that is the first thought that occurs. How far will the Soviet Government be able to join in an international debate without allowing its own people to know what is said by "the Government"? This question of free discussion is

absolutely fundamental. The cause of free speech is at present at its lowest ebb. What with censorship of books and foreign newspapers and propaganda by wireless and official communiques, it is only a small minority of even educated men at the present moment that can hear news fairly stated or can have an opportunity of learning what arguments are available that are unwelcome to the policy of the Government under which they live. And the majority of men are not educated, and have no chance of checking what they are told.

Of all countries in the world Russia has most profited by the inaccessibility of its important centres to invasion, and the effect of every new invention is greatest where the conditions have been most backward in the particular activity which the invention is intended to assist. Great as the influence of the air fleet may be in England or France, in Russia it is revolutionary. What would not Napoleon have given for a fleet of airplanes? In case of a Siberian war, how accessible is the Railway at Lake Baikal compared with the conditions of even a few years ago. Insofar as the long view may prompt M. Litvinoff to promote peace, his freedom from the ordinary shackles of conventionalism ought to be a renovating force, giving a breath of new life to discuss one which no one can accuse of any tendency to attract the sort of interest that leads men to change their old prejudices into an open-minded willingness to adopt a better system.

Of all the roots of discontent that are likely to defeat the almost universal wish for peace the most deeply driven is the question of money and wealth and the unfair division of the good things that money can buy, and particularly the lack of power to earn money which is what we call unemployment. That problem is of course the raison d'être of the Soviet revolution, and the idea that Moscow has discovered a solution is the reason of the hopes and fears with which it is regarded by those who would have most reason to be puzzled by the problem. We hope that economic questions will be freely and openly ventilated. The necessity of actually paying for foreign imports has led to a currency that is managed on the same lines as any other for that special purpose, and the indications are that the same process will occur in other branches of economic life. We say this not from any conviction that our problems have been solved. If Russia can contribute new methods by which the good things of life can be made available more abundantly to the poor, so much the better. The system called "capitalism" is capable of far more elasticity than it has ever yet been tested for.

HERE, THERE and EVERWHERE

DISTANCE LENDS ENCHANTMENT

Mr. J. T. O'Connor, the American Comptroller of Currency, who recently arrived in New York after a European tour, finds the American Government more stable than any European Government.

His test is the fact that President Roosevelt has just completed a long travel cruise, in the knowledge that when he returned to Washington he would find everything just the same.

"Can you imagine," says Mr. O'Connor, "the leading statements of Europe taking a 10,000 mile trip at present?"

Mr. O'Connor has forgotten the British National Government.

The Prime Minister is at present well on his way towards the 10,000 mile travel mark. Mr. Baldwin, the Acting Prime Minister, is at Aix; Mr. Chamberlain, the Acting Prime Minister, is in a Scottish mountain fastness.

When they return, they, too, will expect to find things exactly as they were.

ASTUTE STATUE CONTRACTOR

It is only because a scrap metal merchant deceived Parliament during the Civil War that the Minister of Transport has been able to choose the Charing Cross statue of Charles I. as the centre of his first London motoring zone of silence.

The Civil War broke out before the statue, which had been carved by Le Sueur in 1653, had been erected. Parliament sold it as scrap to a London metal merchant, appropriately named John Rivet, with instructions to break it up at once.

Rivet was an enterprising businessman. He buried the statue in his garden at Holborn and showed odd pieces of miscellaneous scrap to the unsuspecting Parliamentarians. These he converted into souvenir handles for knives and forks.

He did a roaring trade with the Royalists, who regarded them as sacred relics, and with the Roundheads, who regarded them as symbols of their own triumph.

After the Restoration the statue was dug up, and in 1674 erected where it stands to-day.

Your Daily Smile!

Piece in an Oklahoma paper tells of a golfer shooting a hole in one, after which "he finished the round with a score of 98." In other words, he resumed his regular game.

Farm Papers Please Copy
"What is agriculture?" asked the teacher.

"Well," responded the pupil, "it's just about the same as farming—only in farming you do it."

A new novel says of the hero: "He rested his chin on his elbow." These modern heroes of fiction must certainly be wonders.

The Reason
She (awkward dancer): "This dance floor is certainly slippery!"
He: "It isn't the dance floor. I just had my shoes shined."

Personal Pals

Mrs. I. Garrad, wife of Mr. S. H. Garrad of the C.P.S.S. Ltd., is due to arrive here by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hamilton, wife of Mr. A. T. Hamilton, of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club will arrive in the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia, which is due to arrive here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Anderson, wife of Dr. J. W. Anderson, and children are returning to the Colony by the R.M.S. Empress of Canada, which is due to arrive here on October 12.

Mrs. Drollette, wife of Mr. G. W. Drollette, of Messrs. Singer Sewing Machine and Company, is a passenger on board the R.M.S. Empress of Canada, which is expected to arrive here on October 12.

Among the passengers on board the R.M.S. Empress of Canada which is due to arrive here on October 12, will be Mr. A. L. Shields, of Shewan Tomes and Company, and Mrs. Shields.

Dr. Sherwood Eddy, who is now on a lecture tour of China, left Leningrad yesterday morning for Peking, where he will stay for three days.

THEY PUT ENGLAND ON THE MAP

MARCH OF PROGRESS OF THE R. E.'S ORDNANCE SURVEY WORK

(By Ian Coster.)

London. dogs on them. But it is all taken your back fence and begin to measure the distance between your garage and your henhouse there is no need to be alarmed. They will simply be two Royal Engineers intent on bringing up to date one small section of an Ordnance Survey map.

A corporal told me that his worst experience was when he was set upon by bees when he was taking observations from Hayes church tower. He retreated and left the bees with the theodolite.

His other exciting experience was when he was chased by an elephant in Central Africa. That was when he was sent out to continue the 30th arc of meridian through unexplored country. Four of them were suddenly despatched from a comparative tame mapping of suburbs to the jungle. They had an army of 700 native carriers with them. Each white man went off on his own and worked fifty miles apart from each of the others. Communication was occasionally possible by heliograph. "It was good fun," said the corporal. "The old arc is not finished yet. You know it cuts through more land than any of the others. It was begun about 1857 and it still has to be continued through Uganda."

He came back to climb gas-holders at Southall and Harrow.

Work In China

Another N.C.O. had come back after plotting areas of mining country on the Gold Coast and 400 square miles of China. The back of the China work was broken by aeroplane photographs, and there is a suggestion that airplanes may be used to help with the re-mapping of the British Isles.

But aerial maps cannot really take the place of the "detail" observation from the land which is required here.

Most of the men who do the work would be shot to the theatre of operations immediately Britain was involved in a war. From 1914-18 they had the tricky job of showing the lay-out of the enemy lines. Apprentices to the Survey accept the condition that they may be required for active service at any time. They join at the age of 15 or 16 and undergo a lengthy training.

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NEW LINER FOR FAR EAST SERVICE

Expected Here At End Of March

It is understood from Messrs. Jebsen and Co., Agents of the Hamburg-Amerika Line, that the new Motorship "Cordillera" will be put on the Far Eastern Service in the spring of 1935. She is scheduled to leave Genoa on her first outward trip to the Far East on March 6, 1935, arriving in Hong Kong on March 31, 1935.

The vessel is due to leave Hong Kong on her homeward voyage on April 16, 1935, calling at Manila, Singapore, Colombo, Port Said, Naples, Genoa, Barcelona, Dover, Rotterdam, and Hamburg.

BLOOD CARRIED BY PLANE

To Aid Transfusion In Soviet

Leningrad. An important service was rendered recently by a sanitary aeroplane of the Leningrad Committee of the Red Cross Society.

When a quantity of blood was urgently needed in one of the remote districts of the Leningrad region to perform a blood transfusion the preserved blood was sent from one of the Leningrad medical institutions by aeroplane.

On reaching the place the pilot dropped the tube with a parachute over the hospital courtyard. The transfusion was successfully effected.

EUROPEAN DRIVER SUMMONED

Intoxication Alleged In Early Hours

SERGEANT IN HOSPITAL

Two traffic summonses were preferred against Mr. T. Cranston, of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, and driver of private car No. 1497, this morning before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy. He was summoned for driving without due care and caution, and for driving in a state of intoxication.

It will be remembered that in the early hours of September 17, Police Sergeant Fitzpatrick, was knocked down by a car, alleged to have been driven by Mr. Cranston, in Wan-chai Road. Sergeant Fitzpatrick was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital, suffering from injuries to his right leg. Sergeant Fitzpatrick is still in hospital, but it was stated this morning that he will be able to leave the hospital to give evidence next month.

Mr. R. H. Cole, of Messrs. Bruton and Company, appearing for the defence, pleaded not guilty to the summonses, which were adjourned by the Magistrate until Wednesday afternoon, October 3.

"UNDESIRABLE" EXPELLED

Indian Watchman Who Was A Nuisance

Described by the Police as an "undesirable character," Sardar Khan, an unemployed watchman, was this morning fined \$10, in default 14 days' imprisonment, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy, for entering the Colony without a valid passport last Saturday.

Sergeant Russell stated that defendant came to the Colony last year and was employed as a police watchman. Three times he had resigned from his post and was thus making himself a nuisance. He then went to Macao, where he was employed for a while.

Accused returned to the Colony last week, and was given warning by Mr. T. H. King, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, to get clear of Hong Kong, but returned last Saturday.

An expulsion order was also made against the defendant.

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING

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decision, and submitted that if there was any doubt in the case that it should be given to the defendant. Irrelevant matters had been introduced in the case and he considered that the evidence of Dr. Yui chui-kwong was not sufficient to support a conviction. He asked for the case to be re-heard so that he could cross-examine this witness.

Mr. Peter Sin, appearing on behalf of the complainant, said that there was no substantial grounds upon which a rehearing could be granted. With regard to the defendant being a Government servant, he would say that the law was the same for Government servants as for any ordinary citizen.

Mr. Sin pointed out that there had been four protracted hearings and that the Magistrate had gone into the case very carefully.

Mr. Lee, the Magistrate, said that in arriving at his decision he took no notice of irrelevant matters and asked for fresh evidence to be produced. He would reserve his judgment and give his decision at a later date and the application was consequently adjourned sine die.



President Roosevelt is shown at Rochester, Minn., with the famous surgeons, the Mayo brothers, as he dedicated an American Legion plaque commemorating the doctors' services. Left to right are the President, his son John, Dr. William Mayo and Dr. Charles Mayo. In the foreground are the two Mayo grandchildren, Mayo Winters and Mildred Mayo, who are each six years old.

ANGLO-GERMAN TRADING

AN INTERIM ARRANGEMENT AGREED ON

Pittman Thinks Parity Will Be Established

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL

(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received September 25, 9.11 a.m.)

San Francisco, To-day.

The Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senator Key Pittman, in a speech at the American Mining Congress, yesterday, declared that silver would reach U.S.\$1.29 per ounce within two years. "Under an immediate rise to U.S.\$1.29 parity between gold and silver throughout the world would not be re-established," he said.

"Under the present policy believe parity will be established.... the United States purchases, plus the fact that many nations are replacing their currency with silver coins means, probably, that the price will be stabilised throughout the world at U.S.\$1.29 per ounce," he concluded.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

CANTON PLANS INTRODUCTION OF NEW TARIFF

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the Ministry of Finance. In consequence, the Kwangtung Provincial Government has announced a new tariff surcharge.

When this "Canton tariff" will be put into effect is not known, but it is hinted that October 1 is the date for the collection.

The "new tariff," if enforced, will yield approximately \$800,000 a month.

BRADMAN LOSES APPENDIX

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Trouble with his appendix was probably the cause of Bradman's spasmodic form during the recent tour of the Australians in England, for, although he took to the very pitch of cricket excellence during the last two Test matches, he had, earlier in the tour, long spells of poor scores and indifferent play.

In spite of his early unfitness, Bradman, with an aggregate of 2,020 after the first day's play against H. D. Leveson-Gower's XI at Scarborough, the penultimate match of the season, was the first Australian to pass the 2,000 mark, although he was closely followed by Stan McCabe, who reached 2,000 runs for the tour on the same day.

CHINA'S GREAT LOSS IN LITERATURE

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A memorial service to Mr. Liu Fu, the noted scholar who died on July 14, will be held in the near future in Peking. Dr. Chiang Kai-shek, Chancellor of the Peking National University, informed the press that through the death of Mr. Liu, China has suffered a great loss in Chinese literature.

AN EDIBLE CLOCK

Berlin. A Soar clockmaker has constructed an edible clock, several yards in diameter.

Made of different sorts of grain, fruits and vegetables, the clock keeps perfect time.

TODAY'S SHORT STORY

Clean Wineglass

By Sydney Horler

ON the night that this story opened, Sebastian Quin (enthusiast of crime in its most weird and freakish manifestations) and I had been to a dinner of the Friday Club at Viviani's. The Club, whose members consisted mainly of doctors and scientists, met on the first Friday in every month to discuss crime and medical jurisprudence.

It had been a most stimulating evening—for I had been seated next to a Professor Broomshaw, whose conversation was brilliant. Walking home, I asked Quin what he knew about this man. The reply was short.

"A fellow of wonderful attainments, I understand," he said curtly.

"I should imagine so—a fascinating conversationalist," I replied.

He had reached one of those quiet streets lying at the back of the Albert Hall and stopped outside a house.

"Since you have a liking for men who can talk well," observed my companion, somewhat sardonically, I felt, "I will introduce you to another member of the Friday Club, Sir Oliver Dilke, who wasn't at the dinner to-night. As he is a latish bird I do not think he will have gone to bed."

At that moment the door of the house opened and a servant came rushing out like a man whom fear had driven mad.

Quin seized his arm.

"Matthews!" he said imperiously. "What is the matter?"

The butler stared uncomprehendingly for a moment. Then he recognised my companion.

"Matter, Mr. Quin?" he stammered. "Matter enough, Heaven knows! It's Sir Oliver—" he choked. "Sir Oliver's dead!" he finished, and collapsed in my friend's arms.

THREE WEDDINGS ANNOUNCED

Bride From England On Chitral

Three weddings are announced to take place shortly.

Mr. Alexander McRobbie, of the Hong Kong Police, to Miss Violet Mary Cruickshank, M. A., who is arriving from England on the s.s. Chitral, due on October 18.

Mr. Benson Beale Harvey, priest of St. Luke's Hospital, Manila, Philippine Islands, to Miss Eleanor Conard Thornton Moas, of Alab Mount, Province, Philippine Island; and of Mr. Lionel Malcolm Snape Lloyd, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, to Miss Joan Groves Potter, of No. 15a Magazine Gap Road, Hong Kong.

NAVAL OFFICER FINED \$5

Infringes Traffic Rule In Controlled Area

Summoned for passing a moving train-car in a controlled area in Whitfield Road, Commander W. G. Cowland, R.N., was this morning fined \$5 by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy.

Sergeant Clark stated that defendant drove his car from Ah King Slipway to Wing Hing Street at a speed of 26 miles per hour.

UNIVERSITY GRADUATE SUMMONED

Mr. A. C. da Silva, of the Hong Kong University, and driver of private car No. 948, was summoned for obstruction with his car at the footpath, on the east side, of Wongneighong Road.

Mr. Silva pleaded not guilty but admitted that his car was there during the time of coming into force of the Anglo-German exchange agreement.

This arrangement applies to all goods for which payment through the special account of the Bank of England was permissible at the time of coming into force of the Anglo-German exchange agreement,

and to such other payments into the account as have subsequently been approved by the Reichsbank. In all other respects, the provisions of this agreement, in particular regarding the system of payment into the account, remain unaltered.

BOARD OF TRADES VIEW

The Board of Trade, commenting on the above, emphasises its provisional character, and adds that it will be seen that for the time being the existing position will be maintained under the interim arrangement, and that no new restrictions will be placed on the imports of United Kingdom goods into Germany. The method of payment for foreign trade, some £1,000,000,000, will be carried out by the Anglo-German exchange agreement, will continue to be through the special account—British Wireless Services.

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"I know, sir; I'm sorry . . . It

wasn't a horrible death, Mr. Quin.

It was just as though he had passed away while he was reading. But there was a startled look on his face . . ."

"Why were you rushing out of the house like this?" Quin snapped the question.

The slight figure of Quin stiffened.

"Dead?" he exclaimed. "When?"

The man gulped.

"Just now, sir. I went into the library to wish Sir Oliver good-

night and to say that I had locked up—that was my rule, Mr. Quin

—and when I got into the room—"

He stopped for a moment to get a fresh control over himself.

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TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "Unhappy Stowaway," by F. Morton Howard.

"I was going to fetch a doctor—and the police, Mr. Quin. We aren't on the telephone—you know how old-fashioned Sir Oliver was in some of his ideas."

"Yes, that's true. Well, go for the police and the nearest doctor. You haven't touched Sir Oliver!"

"No, no, sir," replied the shuddering butler; "I ran straight out, sir, after I found him—dead."

"That was very sensible of you." Sebastian Quin's humour could be grim on occasion. "You had better come with me, Huish," he said to me.

* * *

The library, while comfortably furnished, was obviously the workshop of the dead scientist. A cheerful fire created a cosy atmosphere. Lolling in a study chair which had been drawn up to the library table, was a dead man.

It certainly appeared as though Sir Oliver had died whilst reading—a common enough cause of heart failure. The startled expression still on the handsome, austere face could easily be accounted for—an unexpected heart attack might well cause such a look.

Quin moved about, disturbing nothing but seeing everything. I knew. He lingered over three articles which were on the table beside the book. These three articles were, respectively:

1. A wineglass that had been used, with a little red wine left at the bottom.
2. A clean wineglass.
3. A large and exquisitely mounted butterfly, its wings black, and with beautifully traced white borders.

While Quin was examining this fine specimen through a magnifying glass, there came a knock on the door. Obviously put out, he signaled to me to open the door, and put his magnifying glass away.

A police-constable, closely followed by a man carrying a small black bag, burst into the room. The doctor went straight to the dead man. The constable looked inquiringly at my companion.

"My name's Quin," explained the latter. "I am a close friend of the dead man, and I happened to be calling when Matthews, the butler, rushed out. I advised him to fetch the police and a doctor at once. This is my friend, Mr. Martin Huish. Nothing has been touched."

The suspicious look on the constable's face lessened, but he said brusquely:

"I must ask you both to stay here, sir, until the inspector arrives."

"Certainly," replied Quin; "I intended to do that in any case."

The doctor quickly completed his examination.

"Heart failure," he said, coming towards us.

"You will have an autopsy, doctor?" queried Sebastian Quin.

"The police-surgeon may decide to hold one—that will be his affair—but if he listens to me he won't waste time," Sir Oliver Dilke undoubtedly died of heart failure."

The reply was brusque.

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BRIGHTER TONE ON WALL STREET

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Unfavourable factors:—(1) The lack of follow through on the buying side. (2) The commodity markets are somewhat unsettled.

Night Telegrams

The following telegrams were received by Messrs. S. E. Levy and Co. last night:

A broad, but fractional advance has developed and sentiment is more cheerful. Many authorities on Wall Street are inclined to the belief that the recent liquidating movement is completed and that a period of accumulation lies ahead.

The publication "Steel" in estimating mill activity last week at 22.5 per cent. of capacity, compared with 20.5 per cent. the previous week, says that buying was not brisk, but the recent upturn is regarded as an indication of a widespread depletion of stocks and a moderate seasonal expansion in some consuming industries.

Operations in Youngstown this week are estimated at 27.0 per cent. Prospects of a further improvement within the next ten days are stronger.

Steel mill operation are at 24.2 per cent. of capacity, compared with 22.8 per cent. the previous week. Weekly business failures totalled 188, compared with 199 the previous week and 269 failures during the corresponding period last year. According to the Department of Commerce factory sales of automobiles during August totalled 234,809 cars and trucks, against 266,576 in July and 232,855 in August last year.

Latest Quotations

The following quotations have been received through Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company and the American Oriental Finance Corporation:

	New York, Yesterday.	Last To-day's Close	To-day's Close
N.Y./London Cross Rate	4.994	4.98%	
N.Y. Cotton—Dec.	12.70	12.68	
N.Y. Rubber—Dec.	15.65	15.63	
Chic Wheat—Dec.	103%	103%	
Chi Corn—Dec.	78%	77%	
Silver—Official	49%	49%	
(Dow Jones Aver.)			
Sept. 22 Close	91.08	90.45	89.67
30 Industries	91.08	90.45	89.67
20 Rails	35.41	35.02	35.07
20 Utilities	18.80	18.80	18.00 off
40 Bonds	91.61	91.76	10 up
11 Commodity			
Index unquoted	81.17		
18 Leading Stocks			
Amer Can	97%		
Amer Smelt and Ref.	34		
Amer Tel and Tel.	103%		
Auburn	24%		
J.L. Case	40%		
Du Pont	88%		
Elec Bond and Share	10%		
General Motors	29		
Int'l Tel and Tel	10		
McIntyre	48%		
Montgomery Ward	25%		
Nat Distillers	19%		
N.Y. Central	21%		
Socony-Vacuum	14		
Union Pacific	98		
U.S. Steel	82%		
West E and M	31%		
Business done	\$10,000 shares.		

Closes

Amer Can 97%

Amer Smelt and Ref. 34

Amer Tel and Tel. 103%

Auburn 24%

J.L. Case 40%

Du Pont 88%

Elec Bond and Share 10%

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Socony-Vacuum 14

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Sept. 22 Sept. 24 Closing Closing

New York Cotton:

October 12.62

December 12.76

January 12.79

March 12.85

May 12.91

July 12.93

Spot 12.85

October 15.39

December 16.65

January 15.75

March 16.05

May 16.28

July 16.50

Chicago Wheat:

September 104

December 108%

May 104%

Chicago Corn:

September 78%

December 78%

May 79%

Winnipeg Wheat:

October 82%

December 82%

May 87%

New York Sugar:

October 1.82

March 1.91

May 1.95

New York Silk:

December 1.67

February 1.67

April 1.67

New York Metals:

Sept. 21 Sept. 24

Copper—October 6.17

Tim—October 51.20

tin—October 51.40

When the following afternoon I bought a copy of an evening newspaper almost the first headlines



Corporal Benito Juarez Massolini (left), and Corporal Adolf Hitler (right), who fought on opposite sides during the war to end wars, now are commanders, and their armies may be warring again soon for control of Austria.

Clean Wineglass

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Then the room suddenly filled, principally because of a heavily built man with a pugnacious jaw and a bowler hat which he had not troubled to remove.

After the situation had been explained to him, Inspector Fordyce strode to the table.

"What about these wine-glasses, Matthews?"

The butler's face became haggard.

"Don't ask me!" he answered, hysterically. "I suppose Sir Oliver must have taken a glass of wine—Matthews, I know it."

"You don't think I had anything to do with it?" cried the butler.

"I'm not saying that you had anything to do with it," was the stolid answer. "What I'm warning you against now is not to keep back anything which has happened to-night. Now, then, whom do you mean by 'them'?"

Matthews gulped.

"Sir Oliver and his nephew, Mr. Hilary Croft," he replied slowly.

"I brought the wine—burgundy it was—in to them at ten o'clock to-night."

Late into the night I sat and smoked and listened fascinated, to Quin.

"This is a highly curious affair, Huish," he summed up, pressing the tobacco down into the bowl of his pipe. "Let me, for the sake of clarity, summarise what we know.

"At ten-thirty at night Sir Oliver Dilke, a prominent and highly respected scientist, is found dead in his study chair. Before him is an open book—Bauer's 'Butterflies.'

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*BANGALORE	6,000	13th Oct.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
KIDDERPORE	5,300	15th Oct.	Spore, Penang, C'bo, B'bay, Karachi, Bombay, Marseilles & London.
COMORIN	15,000	20th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	3rd Nov.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CHITRAL	15,000	17th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*BEHAR	6,100	24th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CARTHAGE	15,000	1st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOUDAN	7,000	8th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000	15th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CORFU	15,000	20th Dec.	DO
*BURDWAN	6,000	5th Jan.	B'bay, Mars, Havre, London, H'burg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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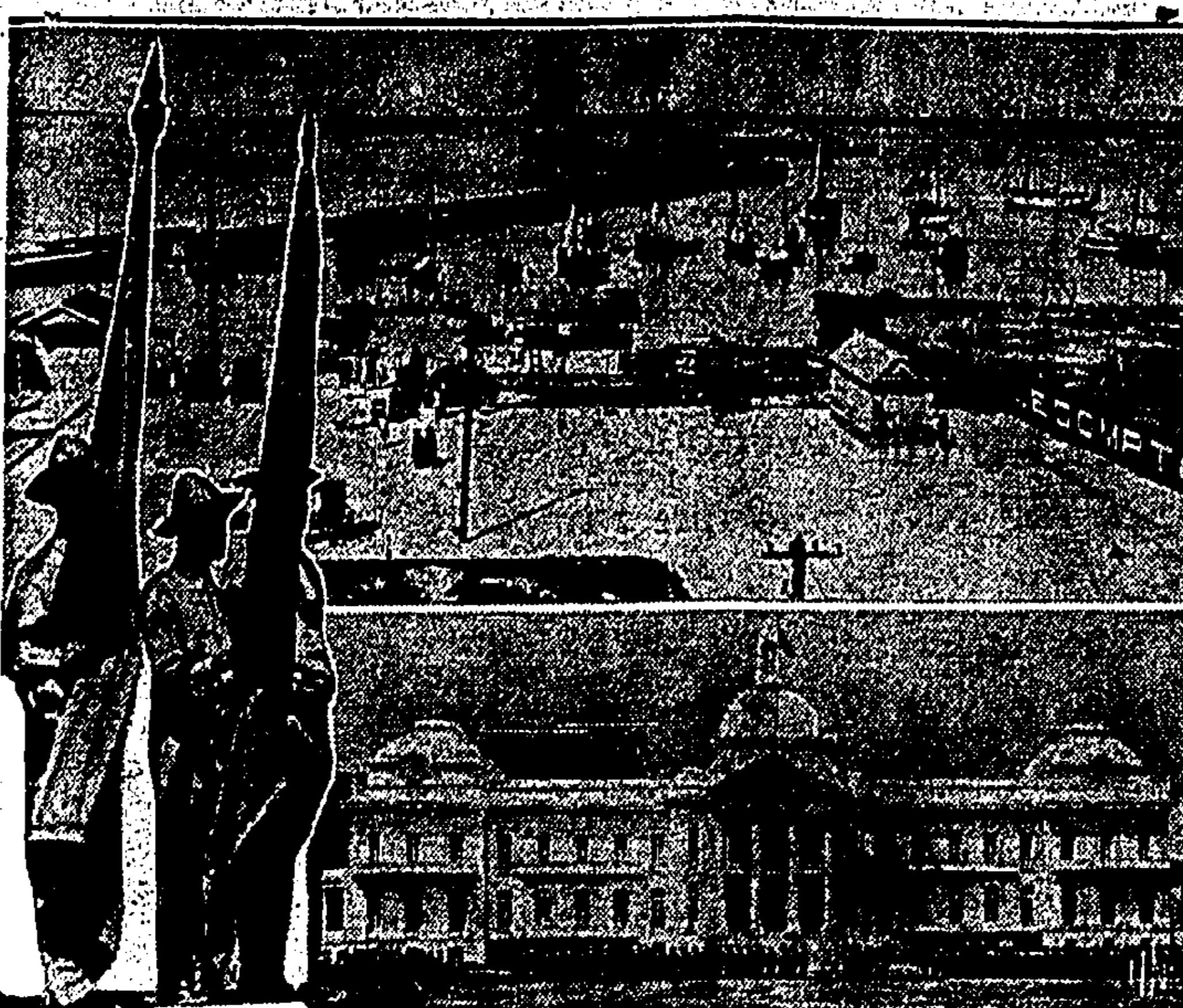
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		1934.	
*BHUTAN	8,000	3rd Oct.	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
NELORE	7,000	4th Oct.	Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'ma.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	4th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SANTHIA	8,000	4th Oct.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
*BEHAR	6,100	14th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CHITRAL	15,000	19th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	10,000	19th Oct.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
*SOUDAN	7,000	21st Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	15,000	2nd Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SIRDHANA	8,000	1st Nov.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
TANDA	7,000	4th Nov.	Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'ma.
TAKADA	8,000	15th Nov.	Amoy, Shai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka.
BANPURA	17,000	18th Nov.	Shai, Kobe and Yokohama.
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The withdrawal of the U.S. Marine force from Haiti, after 19 years of occupation, leaves the economic future of the island republic in doubt. Marines were landed in July, 1915, to end a state of anarchy and to prevent the possible establishment of a base there by a European belligerent. The millions subsequently spent in road-building, sanitation, and other public improvements, and the feathernecks' payrolls have been the principal sources of the republic's prosperity. The photographs show the national guard, trained by Marines, which now takes over the policing of the republic; docks erected under Marine corps supervision at Port au Prince, and the native colour guard prepared to hoist Haiti's three-barred flag in place of the Stars and Stripes.

PRISON TERM FOR A BRUTE

BURNED AND FLOGGED BABY GIRL

When John Ingram, of Denmark-road, Kilburn, N.W., was sent to prison for six months with Willesden Police Court recently, he was a hardened criminal who had been serving his time in prison for the last year and nine months, it was alleged that he:

Punched her in the face.

Blackened her eye.

Flogged her with a strap.

Made her stand for hours crying, sometimes in the corner of a room, and sometimes in a garden.

Burned her foot with a lighted cigarette.

Mr. H. Pierron prosecuting for the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, said that if the allegations were true the Bench would come to the conclusion that Ingram was a most inhuman brute.

Hated For Child

The child was the daughter of a Mrs. Scarfield. Ingram was a married man, whose wife was only 19. He had left her and gone to live with Mrs. Scarfield, who was a married woman separated from her husband.

"This man has expressed hatred for this little baby," Mr. Pierron said when outlining the acts of cruelty.

Although he denied it now, Ingram had admitted all the acts, the expression he used being, "I can't get away from it."

One found it very difficult to believe how any human being could act in such a way to a child.

Inspector Henry Preston, of the N.S.P.C.C., said that when he saw Ingram he said, "She (meaning Mrs. Scarfield) stood there and let me do it."

Mrs. Scarfield then said, "I was not in. You nearly strangled her."

Ingram, who pleaded not guilty, said, "I have two children of my own and I treat other people's children just as I do my own."

The chairman (Sir Charles Pinkham) said Ingram had acted in a most inhuman manner, "and to a little baby your conduct was diabolical."

THIS SUICIDE WAS MURDER

Strange Tragedy In Madrid

An engineer of this city decided to kill himself by jumping from the window of his flat four floors above the ground.

Just as he sprang to his death a woman passed under the window. The engineer was killed and the woman so badly injured that she is not expected to

Clean Wineglass

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Broomshaw! That was the wonderful conversationalist I had met at the Friday Club only two nights before. And now he was dead—suicide, apparently. A man of brilliant attainments, according to Sebastian Quin. What despair could have driven him to take his life?

At ten o'clock I went to Sebastian Quin's rooms and found him sitting before an untasted breakfast.

"I feared this, Huish," he said when I entered, pointing to the newspaper he was reading.

"Do you mean Professor Broomshaw's death?" I asked, amazed. I had seen the headline over his shoulder.

"Yes, it was either that, flight or exposure. He denied it last night, but I could see that he was guilty, although my proofs were slender. Like his own, mine was a shot in the dark. But it was successful."

"What on earth are you talking about, Quin?" I demanded, somewhat irritably.

"What should I be talking about?" replied Quin, putting down the newspaper, "but the Dilke murder mystery?"

"I became more bewildered. "What had Professor Broomshaw done with the death of Sir Oliver Dilke?"

"He was the murderer—that's all," answered Sebastian Quin, and permitted himself a smile at my expense.

"You're mad!" I cried. "Broomshaw wasn't even in the house last night."

Quin pushed me back into my chair. "Only the early hour is a sufficient excuse for such rudeness," he said; "but I am glad you have dropped in because I've just solved the Dilke mystery."

Too amazed to make any immediate comment, I watched the crime investigator place on the table first a book and then a large and exquisitely mounted butterfly, its wings black and with beautifully traced white borders.

"Why, that was on the table in Sir Oliver's study!" I exclaimed.

"Quite so. Also the book. If you will be patient I hope to explain everything to you satisfactorily," he added. "Let us reiterate."

Sir Oliver Dilke, a prominent scientist and a much-loved man, is found dead in his library, in case of heart failure, the doctors said. But the autopsy proved that Sir Oliver's heart was sound, that his death was not due to natural causes; it was due to cyanide of potassium.

"The clean wineglass seemed an obvious clue. It became known that Hilary Croft, the scientist's nephew and heir, had been on terms of enmity with Sir Oliver because he had become engaged to an actress. Here was a possible motive—with Sir Oliver dead, Croft would inherit his fortune and also be free to marry the actress.

But there is another thing. Sir Oliver's personal effects were taken away, including his pocket watch, because he knew that Dilke would not be buried at the cemetery that night, and that he would

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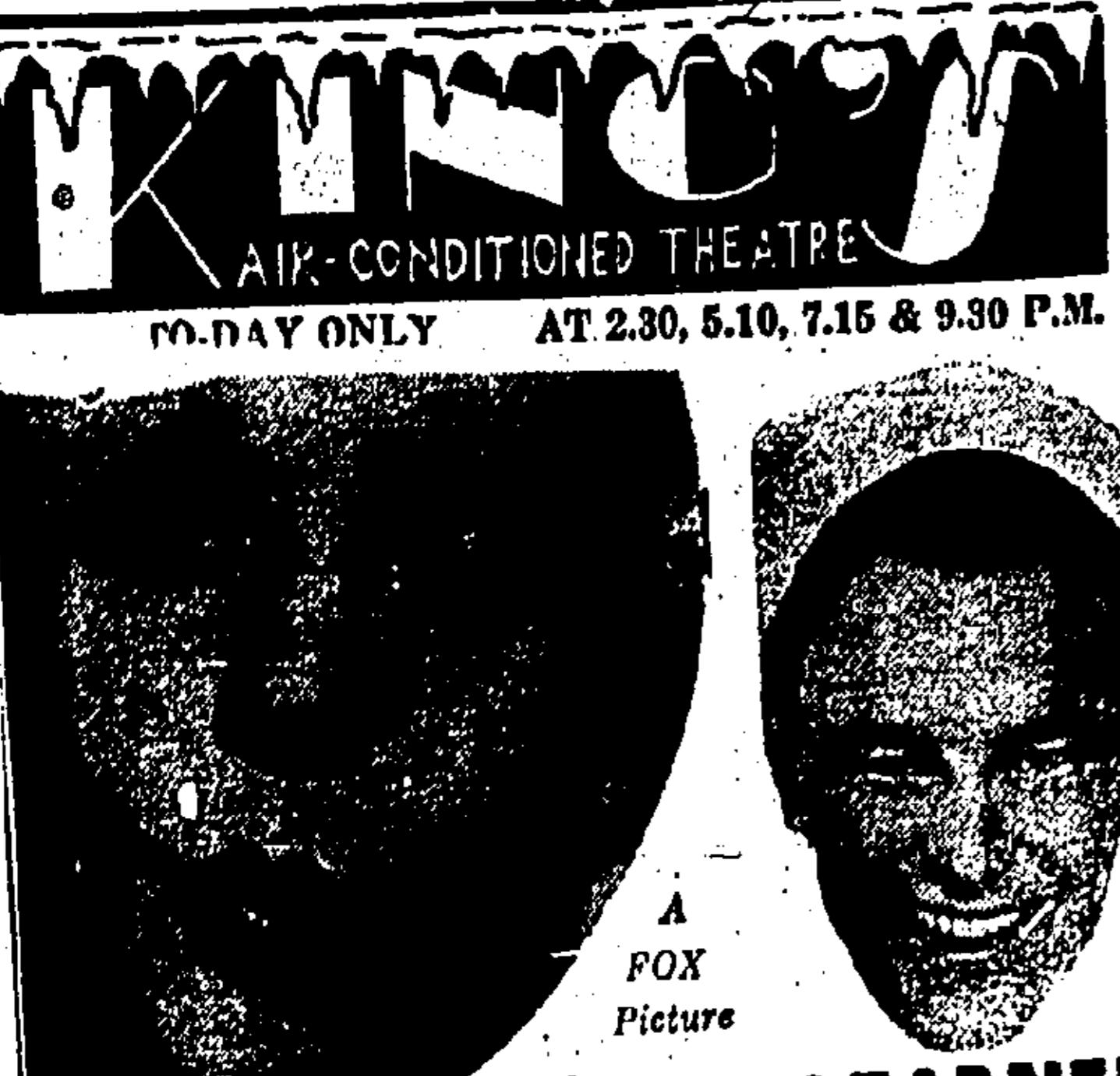
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DETROIT TIGERS WIN BASEBALL PENNANT

Will Probably Meet
New York Giants

WORLD SERIES OPENS ON
OCTOBER 3

New York, To-day. Detroit Tigers won the American Baseball League pennant yesterday, for the first time since 1909, when New York Yankees, their closest rivals were shut out by Merena, of Boston Red Sox, for a 5 to 0 tally.

The Yankees are thus six games behind the Tigers who have five unplayed games to decide.

Babe Ruth, of the New York Yankees and former home-run king, made his final appearance as a regular player in this match. Detroit Tigers will now meet the winners of the National League, probably the New York Giants, world champions, at their own stadium on October 3 in the first of the five games to decide the 1934 World Championship.

Washington Senators, 1933 American League champions, were blanked by Dietrich, of the Philadelphia Athletics, losing by a 5 to 0 tally.

Brooklyn Dodgers trounced Philadelphia Phillies twice in their double-header, Frey hitting a circuit clout.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

National League

R. H. E.

Philadelphia 1 4 1

Brooklyn 10 18 2

TYPHOOON WARNING

No Threat To Colony
At Present

MAY STRIKE SWATOW

A typhoon is situated in about 125 degrees east longitude and 17 degrees north latitude, moving north-west, according to a warning received from the Manila Observatory, through the American-Consul, this morning.

This typhoon is roughly 300 miles north-east of Manila, and 350 miles east-south-east of Hong Kong. On its present course it will pass east of the Colony, striking the coast of China in the vicinity of Swatow.

National

R. H. E.

Philadelphia 1 4 1

Brooklyn 10 18 2

Frey homered.

St. Louis

R. H. E.

Pepper Martin homered.

Chicago

R. H. E.

Chicago 1 7 1

Cuyler homered.

American League

R. H. E.

Boston 5 7 1

New York 0 4 3

Merena pitched.

Washington

R. H. E.

Washington 4 11 0

Philadelphia 5 10 2

Jimmy Foxx hit a homer.

Brooklyn

R. H. E.

Washington 0 2 0

Dietrich pitched.

Philadelphia

R. H. E.

Philadelphia 3 6 0

Philadelphie 3 6 0

Season will be discussed.

H.M.S. ROBIN DUE TO-NIGHT

H.M.S. Tarantula Towing
Stricken Vessel

H.M.S. Robin, which ran aground in the West River last Wednesday, is being towed to Hong Kong by H.M.S. Tarantula, and is expected to arrive in the Colony to-night. She will be docked for repairs and survey immediately upon her arrival.

CHINA HARD HIT BY RISING SILVER PRICE

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Conditions in Canton are in a worse plight, the expert declared, because remittances from overseas Chinese are getting less and less. On the other hand, China's silver is being exported in large quantities.

He suggested that the only remedy is to enforce the prohibition of exporting silver coins.

There is standing ruling that no person is allowed to export silver coins totalling more than \$20 at one time. This embargo has been declared for some months, but, does not appear to be effectively enforced.

A Meeting of two representatives from each Affiliated Club of the Hong Kong Ladies' Netball Association will be held to-morrow at Lane Crawford's Restaurant at 5 p.m. The election of officers and the programme for the 1934-1935 season will be discussed.

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